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FARMERS AND MERCHANTS MEET

IDEAS AND DIFFERENCES ARE DISCUSSED.

Enjoy Banquet at Shoppenagon Inn and Visit Experimental Farm.

A very good representation of the agricultural profession of Crawford county were present at a Get-Together meeting that had been called by the Board of Trade, on Wednesday of this week. The appointed hour was nine a. m. and soon thereafter there was a good crowd on at the Board of Trade rooms.

Marius Hanson proprietor of the Bank of Grayling took charge of meeting and gave an outline of what was desired to be accomplished at the gathering. He invited all those present to be frank in airing any real or imaginary grievances that may exist between the business men of Grayling and the farmers of the county. He assured them that it was not the desire to inflict unjust and harsh personal criticisms and was a serious desire to help these two necessary branches of business to a better commercial and social standing.

A lively discussion was conducted right up to the time for luncheon hour and resumed soon afterwards. The first gun was fired by Al Failing of Beaver Creek township, when he inquired why it was that the farmers were compelled to take such a low price for meats when the retail prices were so much greater. He stated that at times producers are offered only ten cents per pound for dressed meats that were retailed for 23 to 35 cents per pound. This led on a lively discussion and brought out a

number of ideas and angles to the situation. The matter of finding a ready market in Grayling also waxed warm, and Geo. Annis challenged any one to sell beef here without first having it contracted for some time before hand. He said it was the same with pork and veal. Many others offered ideas and suggestions on the meat matter. The producers had this part of the discussion all their own way as none of the market owners were present to present their sides of the subject.

Other matters pertaining to local produce marketing were brot up that kept the time well occupied until lunch time. The meeting adjourned while these present gathered about the festive tables at Shoppenagon Inn. Amidst the strains of delightful music rendered by Schram's orchestra the diners enjoyed a fine meal, and a chance to mingle and converse together. All reference to business matters were laid aside and a full hour of social intercourse was enjoyed.

There was no time to waste while cigars were being indulged in but instead the visitors were taken to view the experimental farm near the County infirmary. Here they were privileged to witness the work that was being so successfully carried on by the M. A. C., Development Bureau and R. D. Bailey, was there to do the steering and explained just what is being done and what is being accomplished. It is a practical demonstration of what may be accomplished on any farm in the county. The successful methods should be applied thus eliminating years of personal and expensive experiments with the almost prohibitive years of time required if similar experiments are to be conducted by individuals.

Returning to the Board of Trade rooms Mr. C. M. Morfit, superintendent of the local du Pont plant, gave a brief talk on the value of working together and community spirit. He assured his audience that he was neither a farmer nor a merchant and that he had nothing to sell. He expressed frankly his ideas upon the matters as they appeared to him as a disinterested person, and offered

NEW TRAFFIC CODE OFFERS CONFUSION

STATE LAWS CONFLICT IN SOME CASES WITH LOCAL ORDINANCES.

Lansing, Aug. 30.—Michigan's new state traffic code was being enforced rigidly today, according to announcements from the secretary of state's office.

State police and city and county officials have been notified to see that all its provisions are followed, Secretary of State, Charles Deland stated. The law, in a number of instances, conflicts with the city traffic regulations of a number of communities. These have been advised to modify their regulations to conform to the state rules.

The provisions which most frequently conflict with individual city traffic codes, according to Deland are:

Vehicles traveling on streets occupied by street railway tracks must halt behind the streetcar, when the car is at full stop, and cannot proceed until the passengers are out of the way.

Vehicles on state trunk lines shall have the right-of-way over vehicles on intersecting roads. When two trunk lines intersect, the vehicles on the right-of-way driver shall have the right-of-way. Left turns shall be made as near the center of the corner as possible. It shall be unlawful to park vehicles on the traveled track or paved surface of a highway outside village or city limits.

many seemingly helpful suggestions. He dwelt briefly upon the importance of Grayling in the success of the farming community and also of the need of the farming community to the town. What benefits one faction also benefits the other. He criticized some of the slipshod methods of the farmers and businessmen alike, and suggested the laying out of definite working plans. He said that the farmer could not expect that the merchants were going to purchase produce from them unless it was brot to market with due regularity and certainty. The consumer demands certain commodities at the stores and the merchants must have them in stock, and he must procure his goods where he is sure he is going to obtain them. Mr. Morfit cited several interesting examples of the success of some where others had failed by using business efforts, some speculation and real serious effort.

He counseled the farmers by saying that if there were no channels here whereby they could successfully market their products that they should construct their own channels. He closed his remarks by urging a community spirit among both the business men and the farmers, and said they could "Not get anywhere by bucking on another. You cannot get anywhere unless you work together. Get the spirit of 'One for all and all for one.'"

Throughout the program of talks and remarks the chairman, M. Hanson, offered a number of valuable suggestions, and tried seriously to have this gathering accomplish results that would be of value to all alike—the businessmen, the farmers and the consumers. To bring out the other side of some of the projects that had come up in the forenoon meeting Hans Petersen, our well-known grocer, told the side of the merchants. He stated that he always bot everything from the farmer that he could use or sell. He asked the audience which farmer he would buy potatoes from when one asked \$1.25 per bushel and the other \$1.00? The claim was made that some merchants would pay producers a certain price for a commodity and re-sell it at a profit and in turn that producer would pay the same money back to the merchant for goods upon which he was making a profit, thus, it was claimed, the merchant was making a double profit. Mr. Petersen maintained that he paid cash for any products he purchased and that if the seller cared to purchase goods from his store he was entitled to a profit on the sale, and also that in disposing of the producers products he had to handle another sale thus earning a profit thereon. Nick Scholtz another grocer, stood back of Mr. Petersen's opinions.

A great deal of territory was gone over and many ideas discussed and thus in order to finally hope to accomplish any good from the day's proceedings, a committee was appointed to further carry out the work of co-operation and friendship and to bring the people of the country districts and the town into a more sincere and friendly relationship.

Following are the names of the committee: Al Failing, Beaver Creek. C. D. Bender, Frederic. W. G. Feldhauer, Maple Forest. Hugo Schreiber, Jr., South Branch. Hugo Schreiber, Sr., Grayling. Arthur Skingsley, Beaver Creek. A meeting of the committee is called for Wednesday, September 19th.

COMING.

A. S. Allard, Eye Sight Specialist of Bay City will be in Grayling at Shoppenagon Inn Tuesday, Sept. 11. One day only. Remember better eyes make better children. Have their eyes examined and be sure.

Positively no glasses prescribed unless needed. Remember the date, Tuesday, Sept. 11. 8-30-2 A. S. Allard, O. D.

WANTS RELIEF FOR JAP DISASTER

GRAYLING RED CROSS REQUESTS CONTRIBUTIONS.

A message received this morning by C. W. Olsen, chairman of Crawford County Red Cross, requests aid for the disaster sufferers of Japan. Complying with the request of the National Red Cross and the appeal of President Coolidge, Crawford County citizens are urged to contribute toward the relief of these earthquake and tidal wave victims.

Donations will be accepted by Miss Margarette Jensen, at the office of Salling Hanson Co., and by C. W. Olsen at the Central Drug Store.

FORMER INSLEY HOME BURNED

WAS USED AS BOARDING HOUSE OCCUPANTS HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Monday night at about ten thirty fire broke out in the rear part of the James Hanson boarding house. The flames spread so quickly that the rear part of the building and roof were soon a mass of flames and barely gave the occupants time to get out. However it was a very few minutes after the fire department arrived before the fire was under control. The back of the house is beyond repair but the front can and probably will be rebuilt.

The building was once occupied by the former Dr. Stanley N. Insley and family. For several years it has been occupied by James Hanson and family and used as a rooming and boarding house, principally by school teachers. It was one of the better classes of residences and has been very useful in providing comfortable abodes for our teachers.

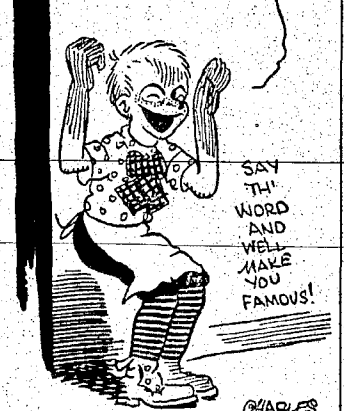
Mr. Clifford Crane, teacher of physical training and other branches and Mrs. Crane, teacher of music and art; Miss Barbara Bellows, principal of the High School and Miss Beulah Ewing, agent of the local Manistee & Northwestern station lost considerable personal property by smoke and water damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Crane had a narrow escape in getting out of the house without serious injury. Everyone was asleep in the house when the fire broke out and it had a good start when discovered. The pet canine of the Cranes aroused its owners by barking and licking their faces and they awoke to find the room filled with smoke and only had time to make a hurried exit, by grouping their way down the smoke filled corridor and stairs and had to climb out of a lower room window. Mr. Crane had one arm cut and Mrs. Crane one foot burned during that time. Nearly all occupants escaped from the burning building in their night robes.

The building and contents were pretty well covered by insurance.

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SCHOOL OPENS WITH BIG CLASSES

ENROLLMENT LARGEST IN HISTORY OF SCHOOL.

All Teachers On Hand at Beginning of Classes.

Of course most of Grayling's juvenile population were prone to have vacation come to an end, however when the day for school arrived they were like a bunch of skittish colts, anxious to be off. With smiling faces and joyful shouts the procession of youngsters began at least an hour before school was to commence.

All teachers, a list of whom was published in the Avalanche recently, were on hand Monday and met in conference with Supt. Smith Monday afternoon and were ready to begin their work on Tuesday morning.

The enrollment on the first morning numbered 557. Two hundred of these were enrolled in the junior and senior high school, and the remainder 357 in the grades.

The prospects for a busy year in the Grayling school looks bright. Supt. Smith says he is well pleased with the appearance of the teaching force for the year, and considers that he has a specially strong corps of high school teachers. Miss Bellows for the past two years the teacher of literature, is now the principal.

Of course some of the youngsters are looking forward to the athletics for the coming season. These will be under direction of Mr. Crane as coach for the boys and Miss Margarette Curtis for the girls. A good season is expected in this line also, and possibly a number of new stars will shine ere the close of the 1923-24 season.

50¢ EXTRA FOR GRADED POTATOES

One Firm Offers \$2.00 Per Bushel.

The Top O' Michigan Potato Show has received another boost in the order of special selected number one graded potatoes by the Detroit News, Detroit, Michigan. Three hundred bushels of the selected tubers, inspected under supervision of the County Agricultural Agent, will be shipped to the Detroit newspaper cafeteria at the conclusion of the Gaylord potato exhibit.

This order was given T. F. Marston, secretary and manager of the NorthEastern Michigan Development Bureau, on a recent trip to Detroit where he secured a number of orders for the selected tubers. The Detroit News order reads: "We order 300 bushels of special selected No. 1 graded potatoes, inspected and shipped under supervision of County Agent of the county from which potatoes are shipped." This order is given in cooperation with Top O' Michigan show and as an encouragement for the development of potato growth in Michigan. The News agrees to pay 50 per cent above market price at place and time of shipment. News also agrees to stand cost of transportation.

Crowley Milner, large Detroit department store, has placed an order for 100 bushels of the selected graded potatoes at \$2.00 a bushel. This order along with the Detroit News order totals over one third of the amount of tubers which the manager of the Bureau contracted to place. Other orders placed among individuals total another third of the quota. It is expected that the 1000 bushels will be placed before the end of the week.

The man receiving first prize at the Gaylord show will have an opportunity of marketing a greater number of tubers at the first premium prize than the man receiving second prize. The grower getting second prize will market a correspondingly smaller number of the graded spuds. Feature five bushel lots of the selected tubers will be shipped in one bushel cartons and if unsatisfactory to the buyer, that is not of the superior grade, they may be rejected by the prospective consumer. The buyers names are to be printed on the premium list of the Gaylord show.

That potatoes must be graded if they are to be marketed to the best advantage in the eastern markets is recognized by men in close touch with marketing situation in the state. It was in keeping with a realization of this fact which led the Development Bureau to attempt to place orders for quantity of selected tubers.

Through the co-operation of various corporations, and public-spirited individuals it is hoped to market a sufficient quantity of selected graded tubers, of the type exhibited at the Gaylord show, at a premium price, to interest potato growers in the practice of grading their spuds. According to the manager of the Bureau, the growers, if once shown that selecting and grading pays, will continue to prepare their products for the market the same as the western apple raisers and California fruit men.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chamberlain and family wish to thank the many relatives and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings also Rev. Jones for his consoling words during their late bereavement.

JESSE PENN DIED SEPT. 1

Jesse Penn, a well known aborigine, died at his home on the South Side last week Saturday, September 1st.

Jesse Albert Penn son of John W. and Luvenia Penn was born April 20th 1888 in Jennings Co. Indiana. He came to Michigan with his parents in the year of 1905, was married to Mrs. Minnie Cribbins June 15th 1916.

He moved to Grayling April 17th 1917, and was employed at the du Pont company plant where he had worked up until the time of his sickness which has been since Dec. 11th 1922.

He went to Mercy hospital for an operation Dec 16th. Later he went to Harper hospital for further treatment but he still suffered untold misery until death relieved him Sept. 1st 1923.

He leaves to mourn his loss an aged father, a wife, 2 step children, 5 brothers and one sister, beside a host of friends.

Those from out of town that were here at the time of his death and funeral were:

Mr. and Mrs. John Penn and father of West Branch, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Penn and family of Jonesville, Hiram Penn of Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Barnes and George Barnes of Vandebilt.

REWARD IS OFFERED.

A reward of \$100 for information of the whereabouts of William A. Shaw, editor of Tilbury Times, who disappeared from his home, Tuesday Aug. 7th, has been posted. Information regarding his whereabouts is to

be forwarded to Mrs. Shaw at Tilbury, Ont.

Mr. Shaw was last seen on King Street Chatham, between 8 and 9 p. m., on the night of his disappearance. A description of the missing editor is as follows:

Age 61 years, height 5 ft. 5 in., weight about 160 pounds, light hair, very bald, eyes blue, complexion fair clean shaven slightly stooped shoulders. When last seen he was wearing a dark suit, brown cap black shoes, light shirt, no collar or tie. He also wore, on the third finger of his left hand, a gold ring with a red stone in a claw setting.

If the above comes to the notice of Mr. Shaw, his distracted wife pleads him to communicate with her immediately. Please do, for my sake and because of the anxiety of everyone in your home town.

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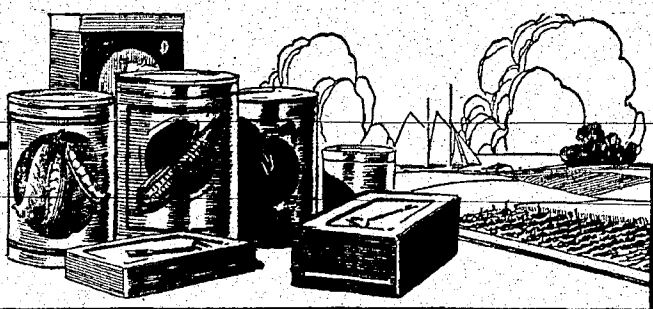
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Holger F. Peterson, Mgr.



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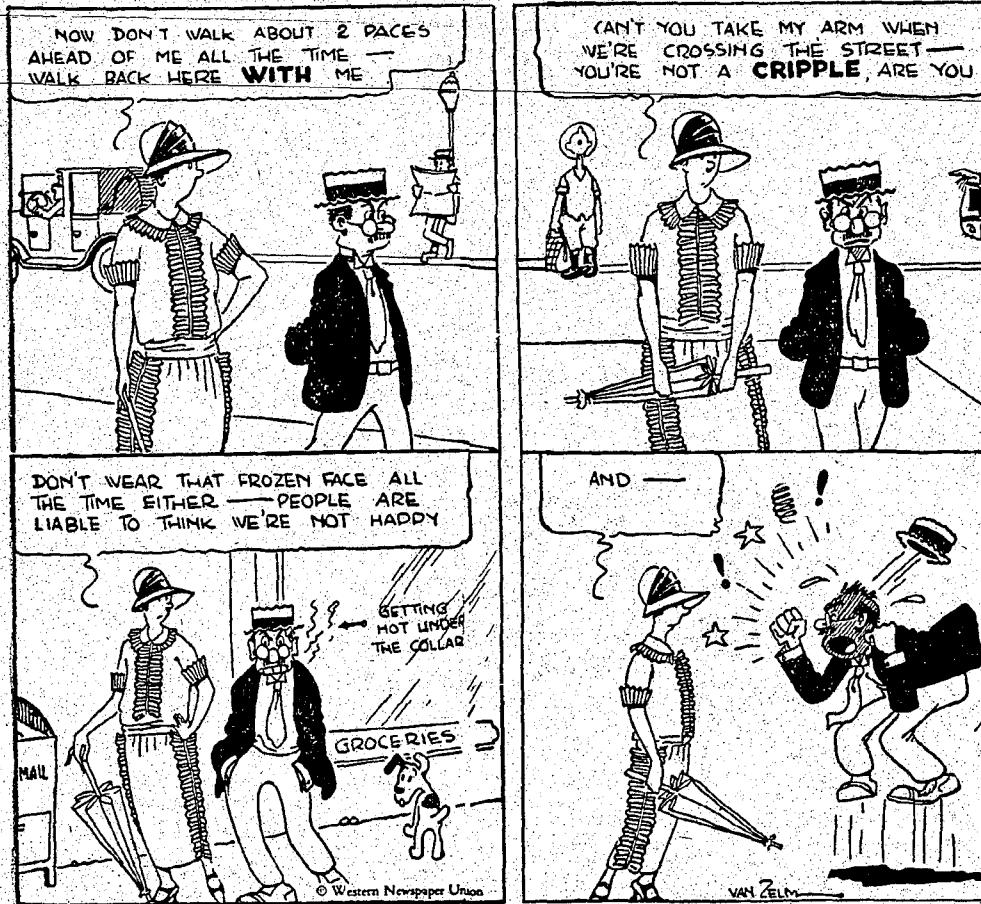


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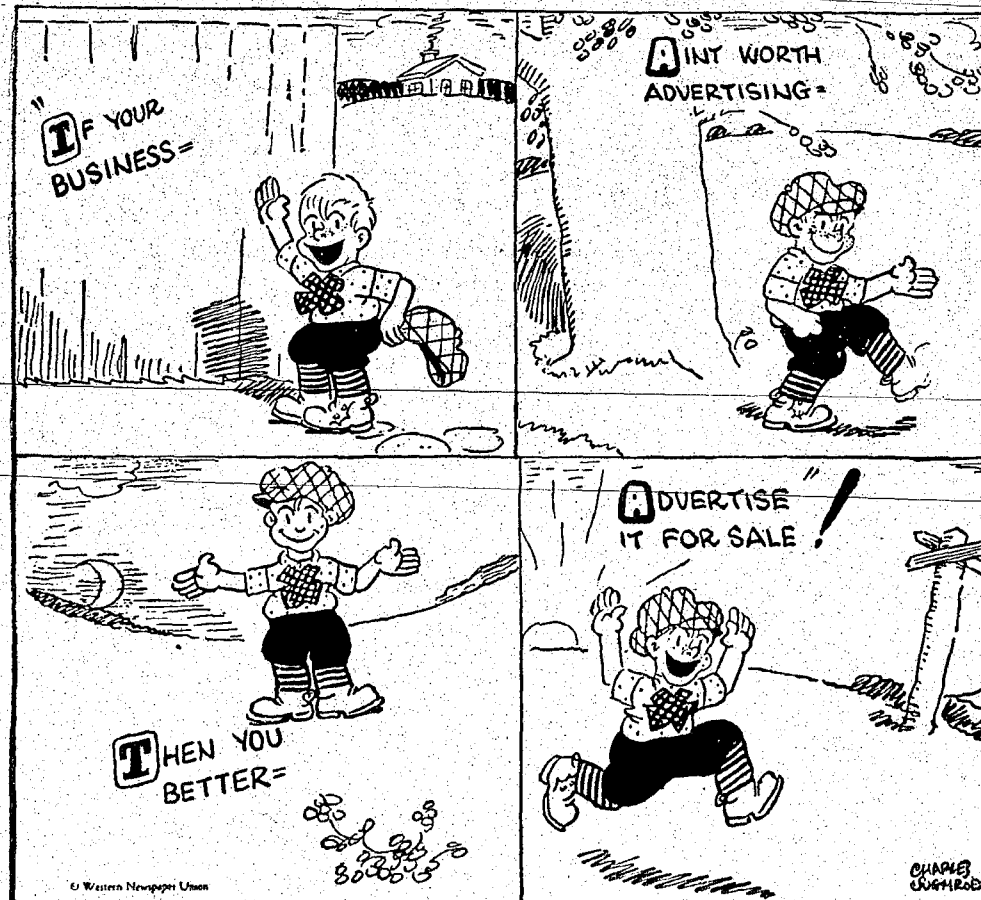
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Words of Wisdom From the Young



Patience With Children

It is characteristic of child nature to be slow to comprehend. This is natural to an untrained mind and would seem to be apparent to all. Yet, oftentimes, parents forget this fact and expect the child mind to comprehend at once, and render instant obedience. It is not strange that sometimes the little child instinctively prefers to do that with which it is already familiar, or acts slowly in do-

ing something new and unfamiliar. If we are patient and reasonable in our demands and extend to children the same courtesy which we ask for ourselves, we shall have much less cause for discipline.

New Ms. of St. John's Gospel. Among the recent important discoveries of the archeologists, and to many the most important of all, is an ancient papyrus manuscript with one of the earliest examples of the Gospel of St. John. This was beautifully writ-

ten in Coptic about 400 A. D., the date of the earliest copies of the Greek text that are known; it will have a deciding voice as to what was accepted as the authority in Egypt. It is reported that it varies all through from the known manuscripts in small details.

Delights of Suspense. It is the life and but that give life its real zest; the painful progress toward certainty rather than the complete and finished certainty itself.

The American Legion

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LEGION WARNING OF FAKES

Alleged Veterans' Publications Used to Appeal to Sympathy of Patriotic Citizens.

The sale of fake "veteran" magazines and publications has cost the public more than \$5,000,000 within a period of fourteen months, according to information received by the American Legion which has issued a warning against the operations of promoters of the spurious publications.

Publishers often use the name "veteran" to persuade the public that former service men get part of the proceeds of sales. Their salesmen do not hesitate to use the disabled and wounded plea. Investigations by the Legion and other Veterans' organizations and the Department of Justice have disclosed that entire proceeds of publications go into the pockets of persons who did not serve in the war, and who capitalize the patriotism of the American public and the reputation of World War fighters to enrich themselves.

Salesmen often peddle the publications with the plea of "help ex-soldiers"; "proceeds help disabled men"; "wounded myself in France, and cannot get a job." In some cases it was found to be the "game" for publishers to disown agents soliciting advance subscriptions. Other agents were found to have bought and worn "wound buttons" from private concerns. Many peddlers who have been arrested admitted that they were not former service men. By using the "help-the-boys-who-fought-for-you" plea, they have disposed of magazines, some at 25 cents a copy, their profit ranging from 17 to 19 cents.

In a number of cases salesmen have represented their publications as endorsed by the American Legion, which is untrue.

American Legion posts in all sections of the country are urged to give publicity to these fakes in order to protect patriotic citizens in their communities.

TO BE CLOSER CO-OPERATION

Veterans of World War and British Legion Now Are "Comrades in Peace."

Closer co-operation between veterans of the World war of the United States and Great Britain is indicated by the fact that the American Legion was represented at the annual convention of the British Legion and at the biennial meeting of the British Empire Service League.

Replying to a message sent by Alvin Owsley, American Legion national commander, to the British Legion, Sir Douglas Harg, head of the British organization, said:

"It seemed to me that your splendid words found an echo in the hearts of everyone present. To your wish, 'Let us be comrades in peace,' I hasten to assure you that that is the sincere wish of every member of the British Legion. The aims of our respective Legions seem to be identical for all practical purposes and I hope that by some means we English-speaking ex-service men may become more closely affiliated. Please convey to your colleagues of the American Legion the heartfelt thanks of the British Legion for your assurance of fellowship, which we cordially reciprocate."

Past National Commanders Hanford MacNider of Mason City, Ia., and Milton J. Fiverson of Chicago represented the Legion at the British convention.

AIDS IN MEMORIAL PROJECTS

Idaho Law Provides for Recognition of Those Who Gave Lives in World Conflict.

State aid in memorial construction projects is provided by Idaho, by the terms of a law recently enacted by the legislature of that state. Under the law a memorial commission is authorized in each county, to be composed of the commander of the American Legion post, heads of other "established" and "recognized" war veterans' organizations and the county commissioners. Each county commission is empowered to decide on a memorial to honor the World War dead. When the county appropriates \$1,000 and acquires a site for a memorial, the state will provide an equal sum.

County recorders are directed to record all discharge certificates of World War service men on application, and to make certified copies of the record when requested. A fee of 25 cents is authorized for making the record or furnishing a certified copy.

Modern Hospital Opened. A Soldiers' Memorial hospital for the care of men disabled in the World War has been opened near Muskogee, Okla. The hospital was built by the soldiers' relief commission created by the Oklahoma legislature on request of the American Legion. The institution has been declared by veterans' bureau officials to be one of the most modern in the country.

No Change in Uniform.

American Legion members who suffered the tight-fitting coat collars of the army uniform in the World War will have no relief in future conflicts, according to a recent army order, which defeated a movement to introduce the roll-collar coat. Reasons given were: (1) The necessity for economy in government expenditures; (2) Undesirability of creating an additional uniform; (3) The fact that the additional coat would constitute a real hardship in many cases, and (4) Sentiment against any change.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

BABY ZEBRA

"I've named you Julia," said Queen Bess to her child.

"Of course it was the keeper in the zoo who told me that he thought that would be a nice name for you, and I think so, too. I thought so the moment he spoke of it."

Now, Julia was a baby zebra, and her mother was a grown-up zebra.

A zebra, as you know, is something like a horse with stripes.

I suppose there are some people who wouldn't think a baby zebra was the sweetest thing in the world, but I do."

Sometimes though she was called Mother Zebra, though, of course, Queen Bess was her real name, as I've said before.

"Your father, Julia Zebra, is known as George First. Does not that make him sound regal?"

"Regal means kingly, of course. You're enjoying hay, too, now. Oh, yes, you're eating very grown-up food, and yet you are only a little girl, only a little girl."

"Your father is eleven years old. You see, that makes him very wise and important."

"There are creatures of eleven years old who may not be wise and important, but to my zebra mind there is nothing much finer in the way of an age than the age of eleven."

"The King, your father, thinks that my age is a fine age. I am nine years old."

"We are both from Cape Colony, South Africa, which is far, far away from here. There are nine zebra cousins here in the zoo, which is a splendid number. Of course I think eleven would be a nice number of zebras to have here, and perhaps



they'll send for two more some time to make the number eleven."

"I really think, though, that nine is all right as a number when we have the number of cousins we have here."

"And eleven is the finest age to be. Two of our babies have been given to other zoos, which is quite fair, I suppose. We were given something in this zoo in exchange."

An exchange is fair. Even if it means exchanging zebra and other fine beasts."

"One of the young zebra children was sent to Belgium, which is far, far away, across an ocean, and then still more of a distance."

"To be sure I do not think so much of the distance, for I came here from a greater distance still. But people think that is far away."

"The other baby zebra was sent to a zoo in this country. But you are to stay here with your mother, for you are your mother's Julia baby girl!"

"I knew you were going to look just as you do."

"How did you know that, Mother Zebra?" asked Julia Zebra.

"A little bird told me," said Mother Zebra.

"A little bird?" repeated Julia.

"Yes," said Mother Zebra, "a little bird. But when I say that I say it as people do who use that expression."

"When some one knows a nice secret they are apt to say: 'Oh, a little bird told me.' They mean that it is a very nice little secret—just such a one as a dear little bird would tell."

"Dear me, dear me," continued Mother Zebra, "what a handsome bumble-bee I do see over yonder."

"He's handsome, but I hope he's not coming to call on me. He has a most magnificent black and golden suit. It looks like a very expensive and rich and magnificent bumble-bee suit."

"He must have paid a great deal of bumble-bee money for it."

"Ah, he's not coming to call here. He sees a flower over yonder. Well and good, well and good."

"It's a nice flower, isn't it?" asked Julia as she looked after her.

"Couldn't be better," said Mother Zebra. "Couldn't be better!"

He'll Stop. Pa—At last I've found a way to make that young scamp of ours stop winking his eyes.

Ma—How? Pa—I'll show him the article in this science magazine where it says that every time we wink we give the eye a bath.

Inside Information. "Pa, I was the only one in the room who could answer a question today."

"What was the question?" asked the father proudly.

"Who broke the window in the cloak room?"

Rapid Transit Mystery. Pa had been telling Willie about the sun being millions of miles away from the earth.

"What I can't understand," said the boy, "is how the sun's light manages to get here so early in the morning without traveling all night."

Well Known. Professor—Who was the greatest inventor?

Student—An Irishman named Pat.

MARKETS

U. S. BUREAU OF MARKETS
Washington, D. C.

Dairy Products

Closing prices 92 score butter: New York 45c; Chicago 44 1/2c; Philadelphia 46c; Boston 45c. Closing prices 100-lb. cream primary cheese markets: August 25: Flats 24 1/2c; twins 24 1/2c; Cheddars 24 1/2c; single daisies 25; double daisies 24 1/2c; young Americas 25 1/2c; long-horns 25 1/2c; square prints 25c.

Closing prices in Chicago cash market: No. 2 red winter wheat \$1.03; No. 2 hard winter \$1.05; No. 2 mixed corn 87c; No. 2 yellow corn 86c; No. 2 white oats 85c; No. 2 mixed corn in central Iowa 74c.

Closing future prices: Chicago September wheat \$1.00 3/4; Chicago September corn \$0.84 1/2; Kansas City September wheat \$1.14 3/4; Minneapolis September wheat \$1.14 3/4; Winnipeg October wheat \$1.00 1/2.

Live Stock and Meats
August 30 Chicago prices: Hogs top \$5.40; bulk of sales \$5.00; medium and good but steers \$4.12; butcher cows and heifers \$3.40; feeder steers \$4.50; light and medium weight veal calves \$7.75; fat lambs \$11.12; feeding lambs \$11.12; yearlings \$8.50; 11.25; 80 prices, good grade meats: Beef \$17.15; veal \$17.20; lamb \$27; mutton \$18; light pork loins \$23; 27; heavy loins 15 1/2.

Fruits and Vegetables
Prices reported August 30: New Jersey Irish cobbler potatoes \$2.60; sk d per 100-lb. eastern markets reaching \$3.15 in Boston, \$2.50 f. o. b. usual terms. New Jersey cabbages \$2.00; cabbages \$1.85; 1.85 f. o. b. Long Island Irish cabbages \$2.35; 2.35 in New York and Boston. New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia peaches, Elbertas and Belles \$2.93 per 6-basket carrier and bushel baskets. Illinois and Indiana Elbertas \$2.75; Elberta peaches \$1.75; 1.75 f. o. b. usual terms Colorado shipping points. Tennessee cantaloupes pink meats, standard flats 12 1/2 and 15's 60¢; 55¢ consuming centers. California Turlock sections Salmon tints standard 45's \$2.00; 2.00 leading markets. New York onions, yellow varieties \$3.35; 3.35 sk d per 100-lb. Mass. stock \$3.50; 3.50 in Boston. Shipping sections \$3.50 f. o. b. middle western yellow varieties \$2.50; 2.50 city markets. Eastern apples, fall varieties \$1.00; 1.00 per bu. basket eastern cities. Michigan Oldenburg's \$1.12 1/2.

DETOUR QUOTATIONS
CATTLE—Good to choice dry fed yearlings, \$9.50; 9.50; best heavy steers, \$8.50; 8.50; best heavyweight butchers steers, \$7.50; 7.50; calves and heifers, \$6.00; 6.00; handy light butchers, \$4.50; 4.50; light butchers, \$4.40; 4.40; best cows, \$3.50; 3.50; butcher cows, \$4.00; 4.00; cullers, \$2.50; 2.50; canners, \$2.25; 2.25; choice light bulls, \$5.00; 5.00; bologna bulls, \$4.50; 4.50; stock bulls, \$4.00; 4.00; feeders, \$3.50; 3.50; calves, \$4.00; 4.00; milkers and springers, \$4.00; 4.00. CALVES—Best grades, \$13.50; 13.50; fair to good, \$12.00; 12.00; culls and common, \$8.00; 8.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best lambs, \$12.00; 12.00; fair lambs, \$11.00; 11.00; common lambs, \$7.00; 7.00; fair to good sheep \$6.00; 6.00; culls and common, \$4.50; 4.50. HOGS—Mixed hogs, \$5.00; 5.00; heavy, \$3.75; 3.75; pigs, \$3.25; 3.25; roughs, \$2.85; 2.85; heavy, \$2.75; 2.75; stags, \$2.40; 2.40.

LIVESTOCK—Tender spring chickens, 38¢; 38¢; medium spring chickens, 28¢; 28¢; leghorn spring chickens, 28¢; 28¢; and up, 27¢; small leghorns, 24¢; 24¢; stages, 16¢; hens, 26¢; 26¢; leghorns, 19¢; 19¢; roosters, 16¢; 16¢; ducks, 4¢; 4¢; and up, 3¢; 3¢; smaller, 2¢; 2¢.

Butter and Eggs
BUTTER—Best creamery, in tubs, 40¢; 40¢; 1/2-c per lb. EGGS—Fresh, current receipts, 17¢; 17¢; candied, firsts, 23¢; 23¢ per doz.

Farm Products
BLACKBERRIES—\$3.00; 3.00 per 24-pint case; \$2.00; 2.00 per 16-quart case. HUCKLEBERRIES—\$3.50 per 16-quart case.

MELONS—Watermelons, 60¢; 60¢ each; Arizona pink meats, \$2.25; 2.25 per flat; Honeydew, \$2.00; 2.00 per flat; cantaloupes, \$2.50; 2.50 per bu and \$4.25 per standard crate.

PEACHES—Michigan white, \$3.35; 3.35 per bu; southern Elbertas, \$2.93; 2.93 per bu. APPLIC—New \$1.00; 1.00 per bu.

HONEY—Comb, \$2.25; 2.25 per lb. GREEN CORN—New \$1.00; 1.00 per bu. CABBAGE—Home grown, \$1.25; 1.25 per bu.

POPCORN—Little Buster, 71¢; 71¢ per lb; common, 41¢; 41¢ per lb.

POTATOES—Cobblers, \$2.25; 2.25 per bbl; Early Ohio, \$1.25; 1.25 per bbl.

DRESSED CALVES—Best country dressed, 16¢; 16¢ per lb; ordinary grades, 14¢; 14¢ per lb; dressed, 14¢; 14¢ per lb.

LETTUCE—\$1.15; 1.15 per lb; iceberg, \$1.25; 1.25 per case.

ONIONS—Michigan, \$1.40; 1.40 per 100-lb sack; western, \$2.75; 2.75 per 100-lb sack; Spanish, \$1.75; 1.75 per crate.

TOMATOES—Michigan, \$1.75; 1.75 per bu and \$6.75 per 14-lb basket.

SWEET POTATOES—Virginia, \$7.00; 7.00 per bu.

CELERY—Kalamazoo, \$2.40; 2.40 per doz. New carrots, \$1.35; 1.35 per bu; new beets, \$1.21; 1.21 per bu.

PEAS—Long round radishes, \$1.50; 1.50 per bu; long radishes, \$1.50; 1.50 per bu; curly parsley, 40¢; 40¢ per doz.

GREEN PEPPERS—\$1.25; 1.25 per bu; bushel spinach, \$1.50; 1.50 per bu; home and green beans, \$2.25; 2.25 per bu; home grown rhubarb, \$3.00; 3.00 per doz; green onions, 60¢; 60¢ per doz cauliflower, \$3.00; 3.00 per doz eggplant, \$1.75; 1.75 per bu.

WHEAT—Cash No. 1 red, \$1.04; No. 2 red, \$1.03; No. 3 red, \$1.01; No. 4 red, \$1.04; No. 2 mixed, \$1.03.

YELLOW CORN—Cash No. 1, 94¢; No. 2, 93¢.

WHITE OATS—Cash No. 1, 43¢; No. 2, 41¢; No. 3, 39¢; No. 4, 37¢; No. 5, 35¢; No. 6, 33¢; No. 7, 31¢; No. 8, 29¢; No. 9, 27¢; No. 10, 25¢; No. 11, 23¢; No. 12, 21¢; No. 13, 19¢; No. 14, 17¢; No. 15, 15¢; No. 16, 13¢; No. 17, 11¢; No. 18, 9¢; No. 19, 7¢; No. 20, 5¢; No. 21, 3¢; No. 22, 1¢; No. 23, 1¢; No. 24, 1¢; No. 25, 1¢; No. 26, 1¢; No. 27, 1¢; No. 28, 1¢; No. 29, 1¢; No. 30, 1¢; No. 31, 1¢; No. 32, 1¢; No. 33, 1¢; No. 34, 1¢; No. 35, 1¢; No. 36, 1¢; No. 37, 1¢; No. 38, 1¢; No. 39, 1¢; No. 40, 1¢; No. 41, 1¢; No. 42, 1¢; No. 43, 1¢; No. 44, 1¢; No. 45, 1¢; No. 46, 1¢; No. 47, 1¢; No. 48, 1¢; No. 49, 1¢; No. 50, 1¢; No. 51, 1¢; No. 52, 1¢; No. 53, 1¢; No. 54, 1¢; No. 55, 1¢; No. 56, 1¢; No. 57, 1¢; No. 58, 1¢; No. 59, 1¢; No. 60, 1¢; No. 61, 1¢; No. 62, 1¢; No. 63, 1¢; No. 64, 1¢; No. 65, 1¢; No. 66, 1¢; No. 67, 1¢; No. 68, 1¢; No. 69, 1¢; No. 70, 1¢; No. 71, 1¢; No. 72, 1¢; No. 73, 1¢; No. 74, 1¢; No. 75, 1¢; No. 76, 1¢; No. 77, 1¢; No. 78, 1¢; No. 79, 1¢; No. 80, 1¢; No. 81, 1¢; No. 82, 1¢; No. 83, 1¢; No. 84, 1¢; No. 85, 1¢; No. 86, 1¢; No. 87, 1¢; No. 88, 1¢; No. 89, 1¢; No. 90, 1¢; No. 91, 1¢; No. 92, 1¢; No. 93, 1¢; No. 94, 1¢; No. 95, 1¢; No. 96, 1¢; No. 97, 1¢; No. 98, 1¢; No. 99, 1¢; No. 100, 1¢; No. 101, 1¢; No. 102, 1¢; No. 103, 1¢; No. 104, 1¢; No. 105, 1¢; No. 106, 1¢; No. 107, 1¢; No. 108, 1¢; No. 109, 1¢; No. 110, 1¢; No. 111, 1¢; No. 112, 1¢; No. 113, 1¢; No. 114, 1¢; No. 115, 1¢; No. 116, 1¢; No. 117, 1¢; No. 118, 1¢; No. 119, 1¢; No. 120, 1¢; No. 121, 1¢; No. 122, 1¢; No. 123, 1¢; No. 124, 1¢; No. 125, 1¢; No. 126, 1¢; No. 127, 1¢; No. 128, 1¢; No. 129, 1¢; No. 130, 1¢; No. 131, 1¢; No. 132, 1¢; No. 133, 1¢; No. 134, 1¢; No. 135, 1¢; No. 136, 1¢; No. 137, 1¢; No. 138, 1¢; No. 139, 1¢; No. 140, 1¢; No. 141, 1¢; No. 142, 1¢; No. 143, 1¢; No. 144, 1¢; No. 145, 1¢; No. 146, 1¢; No. 147, 1¢; No. 148, 1¢; No. 149, 1¢; No. 150, 1¢; No. 151, 1¢; No. 152, 1¢; No. 153, 1¢; No. 154, 1¢; No. 155, 1¢; No. 156, 1¢; No. 157, 1¢; No. 158, 1¢; No. 159, 1¢; No. 160, 1¢; No. 161, 1¢; No. 162, 1¢; No. 163, 1¢; No. 164, 1¢; No. 165, 1¢; No. 166, 1¢; No. 167, 1¢; No. 168, 1¢; No. 169, 1¢; No. 170, 1¢; No. 171, 1¢; No. 172, 1¢; No. 173, 1¢; No. 174, 1¢; No. 175, 1¢; No. 176, 1¢; No. 177, 1¢; No. 178, 1¢; No. 179, 1¢; No. 180, 1¢; No. 181, 1¢; No. 182, 1¢; No. 183, 1¢; No. 184, 1¢; No. 185, 1¢; No. 186, 1¢; No. 187, 1¢; No. 188, 1¢; No. 189, 1¢; No. 190, 1¢; No. 191, 1¢; No. 192, 1¢; No. 193, 1¢; No. 194, 1¢; No. 195, 1¢; No. 196, 1¢; No. 197, 1¢; No. 198, 1¢; No. 199, 1¢; No. 200, 1¢; No. 201, 1¢; No. 202, 1¢; No. 203, 1¢; No. 204, 1¢; No. 205, 1¢; No. 206, 1¢; No. 207, 1¢; No. 208, 1¢; No. 209, 1¢; No. 210, 1¢; No. 211, 1¢; No. 212, 1¢; No. 213, 1¢; No. 214, 1¢; No. 215, 1¢; No. 216, 1¢; No. 217, 1¢; No. 218, 1¢; No. 219, 1¢; No. 220, 1¢; No. 221, 1¢; No. 222, 1¢; No. 223, 1¢; No. 224, 1¢; No. 225, 1¢; No. 226, 1¢; No. 227, 1¢; No. 228, 1¢; No. 229, 1¢; No. 230, 1¢; No. 231, 1¢; No. 232, 1¢; No. 233, 1¢; No. 234, 1¢; No. 235, 1¢; No. 236, 1¢; No. 237, 1¢; No. 238, 1¢; No. 239, 1¢; No. 240, 1¢; No. 241, 1¢; No. 242, 1¢; No. 243, 1¢; No. 244, 1¢; No. 245, 1¢; No. 246, 1¢; No. 247, 1¢; No. 248, 1¢; No. 249, 1¢; No. 250, 1¢; No. 251, 1¢; No. 252, 1¢; No. 253, 1¢; No. 254, 1¢; No. 255, 1¢; No. 256, 1¢; No. 257, 1¢; No. 258, 1¢; No. 259, 1¢; No. 260, 1¢; No. 261, 1¢; No. 262, 1¢; No. 263, 1¢; No. 264, 1¢; No. 265, 1¢; No. 266, 1¢; No. 267, 1¢; No. 268, 1¢; No. 269, 1¢; No. 270, 1¢; No. 271, 1¢; No. 272, 1¢; No. 273, 1¢; No. 274, 1¢; No. 275, 1¢; No. 276, 1¢; No. 277, 1¢; No. 278, 1¢; No. 279, 1¢; No. 280, 1¢; No. 281, 1¢; No. 282, 1¢; No. 283, 1¢; No. 284, 1¢; No. 285, 1¢; No. 286, 1¢; No. 287, 1¢; No. 288, 1¢; No. 289, 1¢; No. 290, 1¢; No. 291, 1¢; No. 292, 1¢; No. 293, 1¢; No. 294, 1¢; No. 295, 1¢; No. 296, 1¢; No. 297, 1¢; No. 298, 1¢; No. 299, 1¢; No. 300, 1¢; No. 301, 1¢; No. 302, 1¢; No. 303, 1¢; No. 304, 1¢; No. 305, 1¢; No. 306, 1¢; No. 307, 1¢; No. 308, 1¢; No. 309, 1¢; No. 310, 1¢; No. 311, 1¢; No. 312, 1¢; No. 313, 1¢; No. 314, 1¢; No. 315, 1¢; No. 316, 1¢; No. 317, 1¢; No. 318, 1¢; No. 319, 1¢; No. 320, 1¢; No. 321, 1¢; No. 322, 1¢; No. 323, 1¢; No. 324, 1¢; No.

GIFT OF THE DESERT

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"I'VE KILLED HIM!"

SYNOPSIS.—On the isolated Menger ranch, on the southern border, Deborah Meredith, trained nurse, is in attendance on Mrs. Menger, whose husband has recently been killed. Immediately after the death, Bob Menger, Mrs. Menger's stepson, arrives and takes possession. He insults Deborah and she resolves to leave, but there seems no possibility of her getting away. Meanwhile, the girl secures a revolver. He tells her he has sent for a justice of the peace, who will marry them tomorrow. Horrified, the girl secures a revolver. The justice, Cornelius Garrity, a scoundrel and bosom friend of Menger, arrives with a party, among them the "Frisco Kid," a notorious desperado. Despite Deborah's protests, the justice performs the marriage ceremony. She escapes and reaches her room. There she runs Menger with the revolver and rushes to the stables, hoping to secure a horse and escape. There she meets the "Frisco Kid." Somehow he inspires her with confidence and she explains the situation. The "Kid" tells her his name is Daniel Kelleen, that he is no friend of Menger.

CHAPTER V—Continued.

"Yes, I will tell you, Daniel Kelleen," she said gravely. "I must trust someone, and you seem to be the one sent. All I know of you is that you are an American. I am an American also, and a woman. If that does not appeal to you, then nothing else will. I have told you already who I am and how I came here. The remainder of the story is brief. I have had nothing to do with Bob Menger since he returned, immediately after his father's sudden death. There was no opportunity for me to leave the ranch, so I remained in care of Mrs. Menger. Until last evening, never even on comers. Bob, but once. Then he came—unexpectedly into his stepmother's room. He was brutal and insulting to us both. After that I kept out of his way, and he apparently ignored my presence entirely. I did not notice, however, that he was getting rid of all the old employees on the ranch, and replacing them with Mexicans. Evidently he wanted no Americans about him."

"I understand; not his kind?"

"So I thought, but with no conception that this change had any reference to me."

"It did have, then?"

"So it seems now. He came upon me suddenly last evening. There was no chance for me to get away, and I had to listen to what he said. She dropped her face into her hands, but instantly lifted it again, and went on, her voice strengthening with indignation. Kelleen made no movement.

"He—he was not even decent about what he had to say. I was merely a chattel he had to deal with, a slave to use as he pleased. It doesn't sound true, but it is true, every word."

"Go on," said the other dispassionately. "I know Bob Menger."

"He said he was going to marry me; he didn't ask me about it at all; just stated it as a fact. When I tried to object, the brute just laughed, and asked how I was going to help myself. He made me realize the situation I was in, without an American left on the ranch, and those miles of desert stretching away on every side. Then he told me everything was arranged for this very night. A man was



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coming out from Nogales to marry us. He said I better go into the house, and get ready. Then he laughed again, and went away. He—he wasn't afraid to leave me there alone, for there was no place where I could hide, no chance to leave the ranch. I—I was hardly sane, but—but after awhile I went back to the house; what else was there I could do?"

"Nothing, I reckon, unless you killed the boss. What did you do?"

"I—I made up my mind to do even that," she confessed. "I stole a revolver from the bunkhouse while the men were at mess, and then locked myself in my own room to wait. Along about nine o'clock the outfit rode in from Nogales. There was nothing for me to do but wait desperately. I meant to stay there, and defend myself, behind that locked door. But that devil tricked me. He got Mrs.

Menger to call to me from the hall, saying she had one of her bad turns, and I opened the door to help her. I—I hardly know what happened after that. I tried to explain to the man who came to marry us, but he wouldn't listen. He was just a creature Bob Menger had picked up to serve him."

"Sure! I know him—Garrity; he'd murder his mother for a drink of booze."

"But is he really a judge?"

"He's a justice of the peace down at Nogales."

"Then I was really married? It—it was legal?"

"Sure! If I know about that. I think likely the whole outfit would swear you consented. Who were in the gang?"

"Juan Sanchez, a ranch foreman, and a black-faced fellow who came out from Nogales."

"Arran; they'd swear anything Bob told them to. They'd make it out you were married all right."

"But—but I'm not; not now!"

"Not now? What do you mean?"

"I've—I've killed him!"

CHAPTER VI

A New Alliance.

For a moment Kelleen did not move; then impulsively he groped for her hand in the darkness.

"You killed him? You did? Say, I like you," he exclaimed earnestly. "You are sure some girl, you are. But are you certain you killed him?"

"I—I think so—yes," she stammered, totally surprised by the way in which he greeted her news. "But I—I am not exactly sure. All I know is he is lying there on the floor of my room, and—he never moved after he was struck."

"Struck? You did not shoot, then?"

"No, I had no chance. I got away from them, and ran to my room, where I meant to lock myself in, but someone had taken the key. I shut the door behind me and got the revolver out of a drawer, determined to defend myself. The men followed, but stopped outside in the hall. I could hear them laugh and talk; then they went back to the front room again. Bob was so sure I couldn't get away, he wasn't afraid to leave me there. He planned to get drunk first, and then come back."

"Sure; that would be his style; and you waited? You didn't try to get away?"

"Get away! Where could I go? Only out into the desert, and those men would have trailed me if I tried that. Yes, I waited in the dark, desperate, determined to kill him when he came. And he came finally, so drunk he could hardly stand, but ugly with the liquor. I do not seem to remember exactly what did happen; he laughed and jeered at me, and got hold of the weapon before I had courage to fire. Then we struggled, and the grip of his hands drove me mad. The revolver fell to the floor, but I got it, and struck at him with all my might. That was all; he just lay there, and never moved; I could see his face in the starlight, but—but I couldn't make myself touch him. I—I believed he was dead, that I had killed him."

"Never mind, little girl," interrupted Kelleen firmly, "maybe he was, but I doubt it; guys like that are not croaked so easy. Then, I take it, you ran away."

"Yes; I—I couldn't stay there, and I thought perhaps there might be a chance, if I could only find a horse somewhere. I knew the others were all drunk, and I would not be missed before morning. I had to try, and that was how I came to be here. You—you understand now?"

"Yes, I understand, and I am going to stay with you. But first, let's get this straight. The main question is, are you ready to trust me as a white man?"

"Yes—I am."

"That means a lot more than you think right now," he went on, but obviously encouraged by her tone. "Because it ain't going to be so easy getting away. I don't take any stock in Bob's being dead; he's got a knack-out, that's all, and when he comes to himself again he's going to be raving. He'll have every rider on this ranch on our trail, and the best we can reckon on is maybe three hours' start. You got to stay with me, and do just what I say—and, girl, that sure means you must trust me plumb to the limit. Do you sabb that? This ain't going to be no center-between-here-and-Nogales; the only chance we've got is to hide out, first in the desert, and then in the hills. I'm telling it to you rough; but you better know it now than later."

"You mean we shall have to be alone together for—for some time?"

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FORGET THEIR ANCIENT GRUDGE

Dinner Brought About Complete Reconciliation Between Disraeli and One-Time Opponent.

An interesting instance of a dinner of reconciliation between those estranged in politics was that at which Disraeli and Lord Carrington buried the hatchet in London. In 1892 Lord Carrington, then Robert Smith, was Disraeli's opponent at the hustings. The contest left them with such embittered relations that for six years they did not speak; but in December, 1898, Disraeli met on the road near Bradenham a cortege of dandies and grooms who were about to call on him conveying an invitation from Lord Carrington to dine at Weymouth Abbey. At first Disraeli refused, but, pressed by Lord Forrester, Carrington's brother-in-law, he afterward consented.

"That's the stuff. We ain't going to have an easy gallop into town. You don't know me from Adam, and if you do, I reckon you wouldn't go a mile with me. I ain't very highly thought of along this border, I'll say that; there ain't many would choose me for a partner, that's a fact. More, I ain't got nothing to say to you except that I'm going to play square. If you trust me I'll bring you through safe enough in one way or another; but if you don't feel that you can go the limit, then the best thing for you to do, maybe, is to stay here, and scrap it out with Bob Menger. My notion is this run—"



"D—n, but I like your style!"

ning away with his wife ain't going to be no snap even for me, and darned if I'm going to tackle the job except you're of a mind to go clear through with me."

"You think I am his wife, then—that he is really alive?"

"I haven't a doubt of it. At least I am going to proceed on that theory. Menger is the one we have got to escape from; if he recovers by daylight from that rap you gave him, he is going to lead us a merry chase. Every minute of a start we get, the better. But I want you to get it straight—will you go with me?"

There was an eager eagerness in his voice of which she was fully conscious, yet some way this did not frighten her. The one vision of Bob Menger, drunk and grasping her in his arms, dominated all else, and left her careless of any lesser danger. Impulsively she thrust out her hand in silent promise.

"You mean yes?"

"I mean yes. I trust you fully, absolutely. I will do exactly as you say."

"It is bound to be some test, young lady," he returned gravely, releasing her hand, and rising to his feet. "But I reckon I won't let you regret it. Nobody ever trusted Dan Kelleen yet and found him a piker. We're pardners now; let's go."

He picked up a saddle from the bed of hay on which he had been resting; found another hanging on a stake driven into a beam, and with both things carelessly over his shoulders, emerged through the open door into the starlight. Deborah followed closely, a new feeling of relief giving lightness to her step. She was no longer alone, unguided; something about the words and actions of the man brought confidence. The situation was plainly no novelty to him; he had been a fugitive before and had learned every trick in the hard school of experience. Whatever had happened to Bob Menger, it was clearly evident the fellow had not yet recovered consciousness, and it was hardly likely his fellows would become aroused until he sounded the alarm. The way of escape still remained open, but no one could tell for how long. Success might hang upon moments. Kelleen's keen eyes searched the deep shadows anxiously, but his lips smiled in satisfaction.

"It's all right," he whispered confidently. "You ride, don't you?"

"Yes."

"Good! It struck me maybe you didn't, being a nurse from the East. My horse is all right, but I'll have to rope one for you, and I might pick a wild devil in the dark. Could you stay?"

"As long as he keeps his feet."

Forgettelling Weather.

When the mercury falls suddenly in hot weather, look out for thunder or high winds. In frosty weather a thaw is foretold. When the weather is already wet and the mercury continues to descend, more rain can be expected. During winter, if the movement of the mercury is unsettled, with sudden rises and falls, unsettled weather conditions are likely to prevail.

"D—n, but I like your style!" he said, enthusiastically, letting his hand rest an instant on her shoulder. "You and I are going to hit it off fine. Come on, now; keep—back—in the shadow."

She waited at the bars of the corral while eleven vanished in the darkness of the open, lightly swinging a coiled lariat in his hand. Both houses were from there hidden from view, and now that her newly found companion had disappeared, Deborah felt entirely alone. Had she done right to reposit trust in him? Who was the man? Why was he at the ranch if he had no connection with Bob Menger? What would his presence there imply? The ranch was on no commonly used trail; visitors never came without a purpose. To reach there at all required miles of desert travel, with no little hardship. There must always be an object in such a journey. What could it be in this case? Was the fellow a mere drifter, seeking a job? A fugitive from justice, hiding from the law? or actually in Menger's service? Surely he must be one of the three; nothing else would account for his presence under such circumstances.

Yet she liked, and trusted him; felt no fear of the man. So far as his relations with her were concerned, no doubt of his absolute squareness as a fellow. She believed his promise. Outlaw, fugitive, border desperado, he had won her faith already. The reaction she experienced from being helplessly alone caused her now to rest all hope on this stranger who had so mysteriously come to her rescue; she cared not who he might be, or from whence he came. Enough that he was there, strong-armed, capable, fearless, willing to befriend her, to guide her safely. It was in this spirit of almost blind confidence that the girl welcomed his return when he finally emerged from out the black shadows, leading two horses trailing quietly behind, through the corral gate.

He saddled and bridled the two rapidly, evidently accustomed to working in the dark.

"Are you ready?"

"Yes."

"Put your foot in my hand. This is my horse; he'll carry you fine. Now, up you go. This your water bottle? I'll strap it to the pommel where it will be handy."

He swung into the saddle himself, restraining the half-broken animal with an iron hand.

"You know the way down the mesa?" he asked, "the Nogales trail?"

"Of course."

"Then ride ahead, and I'll follow. I may have trouble with this brute before he learns who is master. Just go straight on out into the desert. I'll not be far away."

She rode forward, never questioning his right to command. The horse under her moved steadily at a swift walk, alert but well trained, obedient to the slightest pressure of her fingers on the reins. Her courage was high; she was no longer alone; the dread of the desert had left her.

Deborah found passage down the steep hillside and had advanced some distance across the level, before Kelleen joined her. No words were exchanged between them as he reined in his horse beside her own. Evidently the man was satisfied with her knowledge of the trail as well as the progress made. He turned in the saddle, gazing searchingly back at the dim outline of the mesa, now barely visible through the gloom.

"There is something wrong?" she asked, troubled by his silence.

"No, nothing stirring. I circled the bunkhouse before leaving; the whole outfit is still asleep. I was just getting directions fixed in my mind. We are going a route I haven't traveled lately."

"But the Nogales trail is not difficult to follow."

"That is exactly what is wrong with it," he explained, his face now turned forward. "It is so easily followed, we could never get far enough ahead of pursuit to be safe. They will jump to the conclusion that you have gone this way, of course. I am hoping they will believe you have gone alone."

"Do they know you were at the ranch?"

"Yes, unfortunately; but my disappearance during the night will not necessarily make them conclude we have disappeared together." He laughed. "I haven't a reputation for remaining very long in any one place, so my going will create no particular suspicion. Then I've covered things the best I could. They'll be sure you've gone this way—because it's the only trail you knew anything about—but they won't have the ghost of an idea what has become of me. That is exactly what I'm aiming to do—get the bunch riding his trail thinking you're going it blind, and that all they've got to do in order to catch you is to ride hard enough. Then they won't stop to read 'Signs'—see?"

"But—but I do not," she ventured doubtfully. "It seems to me we are doing exactly what they expect us to do."

"Sure; I'm counting on two hours and a half, or maybe three hours of darkness yet. An hour will bring us to Silver springs. Silver springs is where we take a side trip, the sort no many know about. Two hours' ride from there the whole United States couldn't find where you was hid away."

"Her Status."

He—I suppose you'd like to be free to marry again?

She—No, just free.

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"I—I know now who you are," she managed to say. "You—you are the 'Frisco Kid.'"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

BATHING SUIT AND SILK HAT

Mayor of English Town Stages Novel Ceremony in Dedication New Bathing Pool.

A unique ceremony of inauguration recently took place at Grimsby, Lincolnshire, England, when the lord mayor was requested to preside at the dedication of a municipal bathing pool. His honor appeared at the head of an impressive procession clad in official frock coat and silk hat. Everybody naturally expected the usual dedicatory oration inseparable from such functions. What, then, was the general astonishment when the mayor, standing beside the pool, doffed first hat, then frock coat, vest, trousers, shirt, shoes and socks and appeared arrayed solely in a rather ordinary bathing suit, in which garb he plunged bravely into the pool.

This unexpected dedication was hailed with resounding cheers which greeted the sporting executive when he emerged spluttering from the water.

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Palpably False.

"I heard a queer story in town yesterday," related Gap Johnson of Rimpsville. "It was windy one day and a lady came around a corner, and a certain fellow turned his head so quick he broke his neck."

"That's just like all the men—drat 'em!" returned Mrs. Johnson. "They'll look every time a woman—"

But the story goes that this fellow tried to look the other way, and—

"Now, Gap, you art to be ashamed of yourself, lying that-away before the children."

If nothing else can bring neighbors together, sometimes trouble will.

A SCHOOL GIRL'S SUCCESS

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When a school girl's thoughts become sluggish, when she suffers the consequences of wet feet, pain, headache, fainting spells, loss of sleep and appetite, and is irregular, her mother should have a remedy for her physical condition and try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which has proved a reliable aid to nature for just such conditions in so many cases.

This Mother Writes:
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Every girl ought to be healthy and strong, and every mother wants her daughter to do well in school and to enjoy herself at other times.

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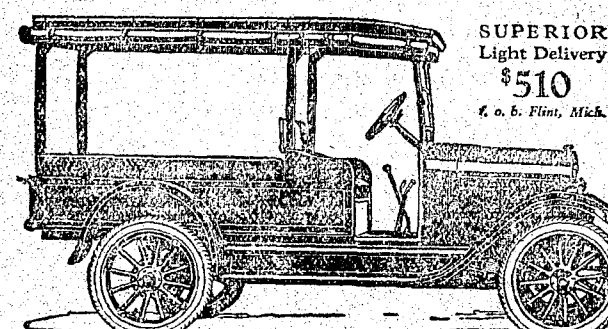
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Mrs. Peabody was taking Mr. Peabody to task for his carelessness in his dress, and was—on good ground, because Mr. Peabody doesn't use quite the best of taste. Mr. Peabody has put on a red tie and a white vest to go to a funeral. "If you were going to be attacked by cannibals," said Mrs. Peabody, "you should have on your salt and pepper suit."

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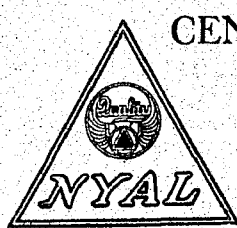
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O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1933.

LOCAL NEWS

Roy Brown motored to Detroit today to visit relatives.

Alfred Hughes is driving a new Essex Coach.

Axel Peterson attended the fair at Bay City Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Ollie McLeod spent Sunday in Cheboygan visiting relatives. She returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Quinson of Detroit is visiting the latter's sister Mrs. S. D. Dunham and family.

Mrs. John Mathieson left Tuesday for Bay City and Flint to spend a week with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Tracy Nelson and children are spending the week in Frederic visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Richards and family.

Singer Sewing Machine oil. Nothing better for fine machinery and guns. 3 oz. bottles 15 cents.

E. J. Olson.
Robert Stone—who has been employed at the Horan Garage for several weeks left Monday for Flint for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Capstraw and little daughter of Detroit are visiting Mrs. Capstraw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau.

Miss Agnes Hornbeck of Marquette, is expected to arrive some time this week to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Severin Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cripps and daughter Marcella and Mr. and Mrs. John Cripps and daughter Edie spent Sunday and Labor day in Mio.

Mrs. B. A. Cooley left the middle of last week for Detroit and other places to purchase fall and winter Millinery and other stock for The Gift Shop.

Mrs. Vern Bennett and children are visiting Mr. Bennett's mother in Lewiston, who is in ill health and who will come to Grayling within a few days.

Mercy Hospital Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Louis Herbinson Thursday afternoon, Sept. 13. Mrs. T. Boesen will assist in entertaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigwald Hanson and family Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson and family and Axel Peterson, participated in a motor trip to Harbor Springs Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herrick and son Hadley visited a few days last week at the home of the former's brother Luther Herrick enroute to their home in Holly from Alpena. They returned home Friday making the trip by motor.

Edgar Douglas will attend High School in Grayling again this year. Miss Alexander is leaving today for Detroit and Ann Arbor to visit friends.

Mrs. McMaster, from down the river is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Schram.
Wonderful assortment of high top shoes, for the whole family.

E. J. Olson.
Friday evening Holger Hanson entertained a number of friends at dinner at Houghton Lake.

Miss Angela Amborski returned from a business trip to Detroit and Grand Rapids Thursday.

The friends of Mrs. Victor Smith will be glad to learn she is some better after a severe illness.

Miss Ray Joseph of Detroit visited at the home of her brother A. J. Joseph and family over Sunday.

Miss Hazel and Joseph Cassidy returned from Grand Rapids Tuesday after a few days visit in that city.

Leon and Francis Fuffy of Petoskey are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph indefinitely.

Jeff Smith of Ashville, North Carolina is visiting at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith.

Miss Anne Walton arrived Saturday and will spend the month of September with her sister, Mrs. C. R. Keyport.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Sivrais and baby of Cheboygan visited the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrais and family.

Clark's Orchestra of this city furnished music for a dance at Prudenville, Monday night given by Roscommon Eastern Star Chapter.

Mrs. Fred Moggo is entertaining her mother Mrs. William Thurston and son Leon of Mt. Pleasant. They motored to Grayling Sunday.

Misses Eleanor and Marquitta Land returned Sunday from Cheboygan where they had been spending the summer with their grand parents.

Mr. Charles Bowman accompanied by his daughter Mildred, Lucinda Collins and Beulah Collins motored to Grayling from Detroit Friday.

Aubrey Barrett returned to Grayling Tuesday after spending the summer in Saginaw. He will continue his studies in the High School here.

Several arrests were made Tuesday of persons charged with driving autos over the fire hose while it was being used to fight fire, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cody attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mrs. Cody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bonk at Gaylord last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Williams returned Wednesday of last week to their home in St. Louis, Mo., after spending the summer at their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Miss Fern Armstrong entertained her cousin Miss Vera Dutcher and the Misses Rose and Marion Gassell of Detroit over the week end. They returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Gothro and family of East Jordan motored to Grayling Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gothro and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gothro and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell and Miss Helen motored to Oscoda Sunday. On their return they were accompanied by Miss Vella Hermann, who had been visiting relatives there.

Irene Johnston, Helen Johndro of Bay City and Beatrice Malafant of Cheboygan visited a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan returning to their homes Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Friend and son Kieth of Grand Rapids were guests Wednesday of Attorney Nellist and family. The party were motoring through to the "Soo."

Miss Matilda Ziebell has accepted a position at the Hans Petersen grocery store, commencing her duties Thursday of last week, Miss Mary Wilbur having resigned.

Mrs. B. A. Cooley has been enjoying an auto trip in the East in company with her nephew G. M. Pennel, of Chellau, Wash. Last Sunday was spent in Rochester, N. Y.

Miss Altha McIntyre who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Ella McIntyre returned today to Fresno, California where she will continue teaching in the Fresno schools.

A party of friends, comprised of Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Miss Bauman, Miss Christenson, Mrs. Esbern Hanson and Ralph Routier left Wednesday by auto for Petoskey.

There will be a continuance of the Christian Science meetings at the G. A. R. Hall Sundays at 10:30 a. m. Subject next Sunday "Man". All are welcome.

Frank Mickelson and son Robert Hartwick returned to Detroit Friday by motor. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Westcott and Mrs. Besie Hartwick.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield motored to Gladwin Friday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Canfield's sister, Mrs. Duane Fox of Texas. They returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and family Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bebb of Bay City motored to Grayling and spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Bebb, returning home Labor Day.

Dr. Poole of Lansing, a member of the staff of the State Board of Health and a brother of Dr. Harry Poole of this city, was the speaker at the Board of Trade luncheon at Shoppington Inn this Thursday noon. Particulars of his address will be published in our next weeks issue. Incident to the splendid meal that was served, cigars and "Life Savers" were distributed to the guests complimentary by the Bay City Times-Tribune, that excellent newspaper of the "Glad Hand" town.

Lieut. Emerson Bates left Wednesday for the coast artillery at Fortress Monroe, Va., where he will be stationed indefinitely. This is one of Uncle Sam's most important military posts, and is renowned for many historical events. It was here that Jeff Davis president of the Southern Confederacy was imprisoned after being captured by a detachment of Michigan Cavalry. The fortress at that time was under command of Gen. Miles. Lieut. Bates says that it will not doubt be a full year and possibly longer before he will be entitled to a leave of absence.

Mrs. Henry Bauman was hostess to ten ladies at a luncheon Friday afternoon to compliment Mrs. E. E. Hartwick of Detroit. The guests included old friends of Mrs. Hartwick.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher are visiting in Bay City, Detroit and Lansing leaving Saturday by motor. They were accompanied by Mrs. Charles Hewitt and daughter Audrey. They will be gone two weeks.

Miss Laura Simpson who has been spending the summer with her mother Mrs. Amanda Simpson has returned to Cadillac to resume teaching in the Cadillac schools. She motored to Cadillac Sunday with her mother and Mrs. Harry Simpson.

Allyn Kidston motored to Ann Arbor Friday to visit his wife who is in the hospital in that city. He was joined by his daughter Miss Ada at Pinconning. Enroute they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Letzkus in Bay City. They returned home Monday.

WANT ADS

WANTED—A GIRL FOR HOUSE work. No wash or ironing. Christian Science preferred, fine home. Inquire J. W. Anderson, 7400 Greenfield Ave., Detroit.

FOUND—PAIR HORN RIMMED glasses about August 20, near the South Side School house. Owner may have same by applying to Ben Pankow, South Side.

MORSES FOR SALE—INQUIRE of Vincens Grandjean, Star Staples, Grayling.

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An Official Statement by the Governor of South Dakota

On August 29, Governor McMaster, of South Dakota, issued the following statement:—

"At a meeting with Colonel Stewart, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana and other Standard Oil Officials, held in Pierre this morning, Mr. Stewart expressed unqualifiedly the willingness of Standard Oil to comply with the wishes of the consumers of the State of South Dakota in so far as those wishes could be expressed and interpreted by the governor of this state. These Standard officials, although they contend that the present prices do not properly reflect the costs of production, refining and distribution, plus a reasonable profit, were willing, at my request, to do one of two things—raise the price of gasoline immediately in the State of South Dakota where it would represent a six and six-tenths cent reduction over former prices, or maintain, for the time being, sixteen cent gasoline in the State of South Dakota, using Mitchell as a base.

"After due consideration, the Standard Oil officials were asked by the governor to maintain the present price of 16 cents for the time being. I wish to accept full responsibility for this situation and state that Standard Oil, by deed and act, is working in fullest co-operation with the governor of this state and therefore can in no respect be blamed for 16 cents gasoline from this date.

"I realize that the independents who have viciously assailed and attacked me will raise bitter complaint against this condition. However, after due consideration and investigation, I wish to say that if the former gasoline prices of this state were excessive, the independents of this state were just as responsible for that condition and were just as guilty of taking excess profits as was Standard Oil.

"At no time during the period which former gasoline prices prevailed did any independent of this state raise one objection or bring one complaint to this office in an effort to bring about any reduction in price but they were perfectly willing to profit to the fullest extent.

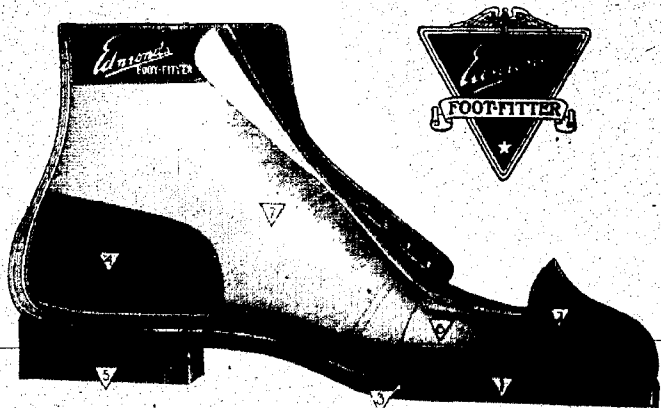
"I realize that all sorts of charges will be made against me because of this action, but in view of the fact that gasoline can be purchased at various refineries today for approximately seven cents a gallon, it will not work injury to the public cause if the Independents are forced for the time being to do business on a small margin of profit. There is no particular reason why the State Government should guarantee to the Independent Oil Dealers of this state, at least for the time being, fixed profits, especially in view of the fact that they were perfectly willing and were a party to take excessive profits from the people."

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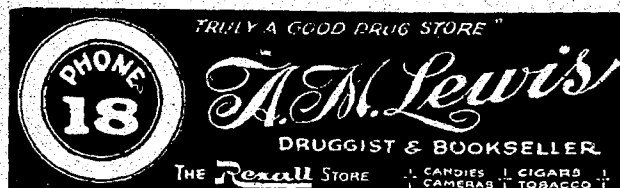


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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1933.

Suction Soled gym shoes at \$1.35 and up at E. J. Olson's.

Isaac Gendron of Flint is visiting his mother Mrs. David White.

Miss Mae Wilbur of Lansing visited Miss Bernice McNeven Wednesday.

Miss Nola Sheehy of the Avalanche force, is under the doctors care this week with an injury just below her knee.

Mrs. Charles Schreck and son LeRoy returned Monday from Detroit and Flint where they visited relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moggo and son Howard returned Thursday from Augres where they visited the former's sister for a week.

Register of Deeds Andrew Hart is spending a well earned vacation visiting his mother and old friends of his boyhood town of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough motored to West Branch Thursday to attend the West Branch fair. They spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Abbott.

Mrs. Chester Wilcox of Mackinaw is visiting friends in Grayling. Mrs. Wilcox was formerly Miss Greta Fink and has many friends in Grayling.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Nelson Corwin, Wednesday Sept. 12. All members are requested to be present.

Miss Rosella Hullinger of Port Clinton, Ohio and Mr. George W. Kestenholtz of Roscommon, Michigan were united in marriage by Justice Schumann, Thursday.

John Parsons who has purchased the H. L. Abrahams stock in Frederic announces that he will have the store open for business next Saturday morning, Sept. 8.

Alfred Hanson returned the latter part of the week from his vacation trip to Chicago and other places. Last week he took in the American Legion convention at Ironwood in the upper peninsula and reports a fine time there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cody drove to Saginaw Monday, where Mr. Cody attended to some business matters, and returning home Wednesday night. Mrs. Cody went on to Flint where she will remain for about ten days.

About 20 friends of Chas. T. Tiffin on the South Side, dropped into his home Saturday night to remind him that he had a birthday that day, and remained for the evening. A pot luck luncheon was served which all enjoyed.

Tennis slippers, 75c and up.
E. J. Olson.
Mrs. Earl Case is assisting at the Hat Shoppe.

Charles Fehr was in Gaylord on business Monday.

Have your prescriptions filled at the Central Drug Store.

Edgar McPhee motored to West Branch with George Smith.

Miss Augusta Kraus spent the week end in Bay City visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kraus returned from a motor trip to Detroit Thursday.

Herman Blosser spent Sunday and Monday in Bay City visiting relatives.

Mrs. Robert Legner is spending the week in Bay City visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCauley returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Rose Watts left Monday morning to spend the week among relatives in Saginaw.

Mrs. J. H. McCone has returned home from Arbutus Beach where she had been visiting friends.

Mrs. Andrew Brown and son Carlyle are visiting her son John Brown and wife at Manistique, Mich.

Miss Kathryn Brown spent Sunday of last week in Frankfort the guest of Miss Barbara Bellows.

Miss Mae McCarthy entertained Miss Carrie Godfrey of Grand Rapids over the week end. She returned Monday.

Mr. W. L. Leix, representative of the Jenson Hardware Co., Bay City was a business caller in Grayling Tuesday.

Miss Marjorie Woods spent the week and visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Woods and family in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bousillon and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Underhill spent Sunday and Monday visiting relatives in Standish.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lovelly and daughters Clarebelle and Veronica motored to Bay City Saturday returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrell who have been enjoying a week at Lake Margrethe returned to their home in Saginaw Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Ewalt and granddaughter Arla returned Saturday from LaPeer where they had been visiting relatives for a month.

Mrs. Clarence Brown returned Tuesday afternoon from Bay City, where she had been visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Tillie Mills of Grand Rapids is visiting among old Grayling friends, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lagrow.

Mrs. Glen Kauter of Detroit gave a luncheon in honor of Miss Edna Christenson of Minneapolis, at her cottage at Higgins Lake, Saturday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wingard left for Detroit Sunday night to drive back a new 1934 model Ford coupe for the former's father, J. H. Wingard.

Frederic St John is the guest of Mark Murray at his summer home on the AuSable. The boys are classmates at Howe Military School, Howe Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and son Casper and Archie McNeven of Flint spent Sunday and Labor Day visiting the McNeven families in Grayling.

Mrs. Paul Mack and children returned to their home in Manistee, having spent the past three weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Arnold Lauridsen and family.

Mayor A. W. Tausend and wife and daughter Anne visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gillett Sunday enroute to their home in Saginaw from Glen Lake where they had been for a month.

Mrs. Peter Robertson returned this morning from Detroit, after a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Anderson and family and also with her son Clarence who is employed in that city.

Misses Gladys Wheeler and Ruth Stroppe who have been spending the summer with the former's aunt Miss Jennie Ingley at her cottage "Rustle Inn" at Lake Margrethe returned to Detroit Sunday.

If you are living in a rooming house you may have your personal belongings insured against fire at small cost. You should move to other quarters your policy can be easily transferred without cost. Call at the AVALANCHE office for particulars.

Ray Foster, Fred Snyder, Henry McClelland and Lewis McCune of Detroit are occupying the Kraus cottage at Lake Margrethe for a week.

Miss Anna Peterson and her niece and nephew Helen and Gordon Pond who have been visiting Mrs. Mary Pond at Bay City for a few days last week accompanied them to Grayling Saturday.

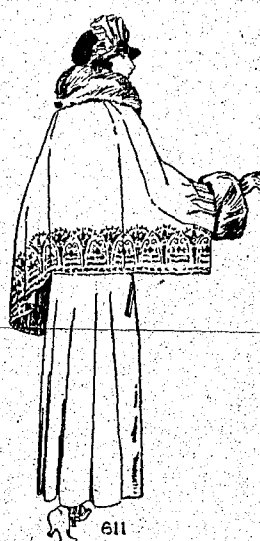
James Armstrong returned Monday from Bad Axe where he attended a funeral of a brother. Mr. Armstrong left Monday of last week for Bad Axe to spend a week with relatives and shortly after his arrival his brother was taken suddenly ill and died within a short time. Mr. Armstrong was accompanied home by his brother Joseph Armstrong of Bad Axe.

The members of the former "It Suits Us" club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon Wednesday of last week when they were entertained by Miss Jennie Ingley at her cottage Rustle Inn at Lake Margrethe. Five hundred was indulged in. Miss Gladys Wheeler of Detroit received the first prize and Mrs. Walter Doroh second.

The guests included Mrs. Melvin Corwin, Mrs. W. H. Stroppe and daughter Ruth, Miss Gladys Wheeler and Mrs. Harry Robinson all of Detroit, and Mrs. Carl Doroh and Mrs. Walter Doroh. A delicious pot lunch was served.

To honor Miss Verna Biggs, whose marriage will take place next week Mrs. Chris. Hoelsi and Mrs. Orson Corwin entertained very nicely Thursday evening with a kitchen shower.

There were about 20 present, and the hostesses served a delicious lunch in the evening. At a reunion of the Corwin family held recently at the farm home of Charles Corwin near here, the bride-to-be was showered with a number of miscellaneous articles, following a fine picnic dinner. All but one family of the Corwin family was represented at the affair that day.



The Season's Newest Styles

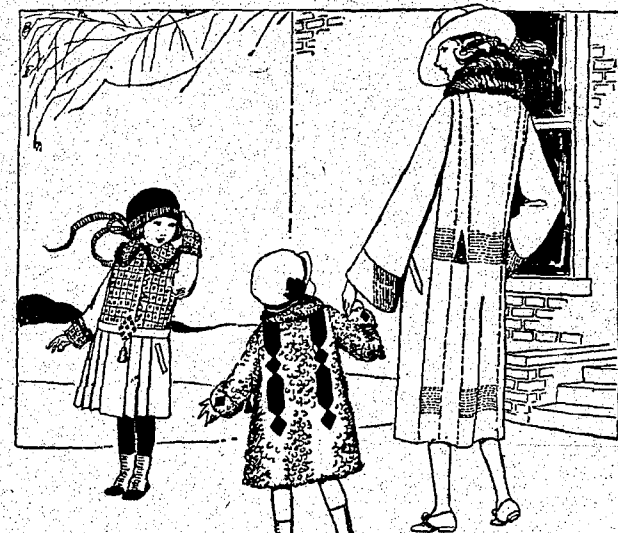
In Ladies' and Misses' Winter Coats

—now on display. The latest fabrics, Overplaids, Veldyne, Tromosa, Fashona, Kerami and Plushes, in styles that are most becoming and stylish—150 Coats to choose from.

\$15 to \$90

Our stock of childrens Coats is the largest we have ever shown, snappy styles, good materials and a nice selection of styles, sizes 2 to 14

\$3.00 to \$15

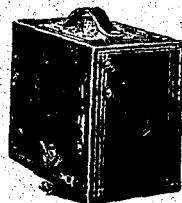


Grayling Mercantile Company The Quality Store

OUR BULLETIN

The Busy Shopper's Guide

All Out Doors Invites your KODAK.



SUNNY SEPTEMBER DAYS bring chances for pictures you'll be proud to put in your Kodak album. The Labor Day outing, the children off to school again with mournful men, the last picnic of the season and many more.

Even the kiddies can take pictures with a Brownie.

LINOLEUM RUGS

Armstrong's. Undoubtedly the most popular Linoleum rugs on the market. Patterns, color effects and sizes for any room.

Size 6x9\$10.70
Size 7½x9\$13.38
Size 9x10½\$18.19
Size 9x12\$21.33

Dining Tables. Four new numbers in Queen Ann design, quartered golden oak. See these at our warehouse.

48x48 round top, six foot extension
Price.....**41.25**

48x48 round top, eight foot extension
Price.....**46.00**

42x48 square top, six foot extension
Price.....**41.25**

48x48 square top, six foot, extension, Mersman construction
Price.....**43.00**

These prices stand good until our next bulletin is issued next week.

SORENSEN BROTHERS

The Home Of Dependable Furniture.

Costumer, walnut finish, height 67 inches, spread at base 19 inches, diameter of post 1½ inches, fitted with cast brass hooks.
Price.....**4.95**

Mirrors, popular priced. High-polished golden oak frame.

Made of solid oak fitted with American quality mirror.

1 in. frame 6x8 glass.....35c

1½ in. frame 10x14 glass 95c

2 in. frame 12x20 glass.....\$1.70

French plate oak frame mirror.

1½ in. frame, 10x14.....\$2.40

2 in. frame, 12x20.....\$4.90

Bath Room Mirrors, American quality in white enameled frames

1 in. frame 7x9 glass.....45c

1½ in. frame 9x12 glass 70c

1½ in. frame, 10x14 glass 95c

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Scholtz of Saginaw are visiting at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Baumgras are returning today to their home in Lansing, after spending the summer at the Hanson State Military reservation.

Clarence Mortenson, who was with the Michigan National Guards at the Military Reservation is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mortenson at Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gillett returned Friday from Saginaw where they had attended a funeral of a cousin of the former. They also visited in Bay City before their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, Melstrup and family of Detroit, motored to Grayling Wednesday to spend the week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Salling and family.

Wayne Ewalt returned Saturday from Battle Creek, after a month spent in attending the fine citizens Military training camp at Camp Custer. Wayne says he hopes to attend again next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coyle have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Emery and family and Mrs. E. L. Black of Saginaw for the past week. They returned to their home Sunday.

Miss Hester Hanson will teach again this year in the Eldorado school. She left to take up her duties Monday, but was called back home Tuesday owing to her home here being damaged by fire.

Mrs. O. W. Hanson gave a shower for Miss Edna Christenson Monday. Twenty-four were present and the young lady received many beautiful gifts. Mrs. Esbern Hanson assisted in pouring tea.

Mrs. William Niel and son Pat. Mr. and Mrs. Milnes and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith left Wednesday for Detroit owing to the death of Mrs. Edith Kozenski. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Kozinski. She has visited Grayling each year for several years and has many friends here who will be sorry to hear of her death. The funeral was held in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarmin and family motored to Bay City Saturday to spend a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hawthorne.

Miss Vella Hermann is teaching again this year in the Funck school in South Branch Township, leaving Monday to take up her duties. During vacation she attended summer school at Ypsilanti State Normal.

George Biggs and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mapes of Durand last week. Sunday they returned home and were accompanied as far as Clare by the George Biggs and Chris Hoelsi families.

Mr. and Mrs. William Powell arrived Monday from Dayton, O., and are at their cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Powell will leave again in a few days, but Mrs. Powell will be here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron and Mrs. Daniel Hoelsi and daughter Virginia spent the week end in Gaylord visiting Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cameron who will leave soon for the Upper Peninsula with the Gormand Ford Stock Co.

Mrs. C. J. Game of Detroit is visiting friends at Houghton Lake for a week. Mrs. Game and family motored to Marion from Detroit to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Richardson. They expect to return this week.

Mrs. R. D. Bailey returned Sunday evening from Gaylord, where she had been visiting relatives and friends for the past three weeks. Mr. Bailey returning from the Bay City fair went through to Gaylord to accompany Mrs. Bailey home.

The pick up team of local baseball players, who went to Alpena on Labor Day were defeated by a score of 13 to 7 "Babe" Laurent on the 7. "Babe" Laurent on the mound mounded for Grayling allowed but 6 hits. Grayling registered 17 hits.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer and son Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Darveau and niece Jean Thorne enjoyed a motor trip to Alpena Sunday. While there they visited Mr. Darveau's parents. They accompanied Miss Jean to her home, after spending some time with her aunt and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dildine of Lansing are guests of Mrs. H. A. Pond. Mrs. Dildine and Mrs. Pond are sisters.

The regular monthly meeting and banquet by the supervisors and county officers that was held at the Cody Hotel last week Thursday night was not well attended as usual but was an exceedingly interesting meeting.

After a delicious chicken dinner the officers and friends indulged in miscellaneous discussion, there being no program prepared.

Elmer Simpson, a young man about 25 years of age, was arrested Saturday night for stealing a watch from Geo. Burke. He pleaded guilty and for his act paid a fine of \$15 and \$3.95 costs. A number of complaints have been coming to the officers about this young man for fast and reckless driving and it appears that further trouble may be coming to him soon.

The north counties are enjoying a period of delightful weather. The days are warm and pleasant and the nights just comfortably cool. Crops are still growing well and if the frosts hold off a bumper crop is assured. Also the berry crop continues strong and everyday sees people among the hillsides gathering black berries and huckleberries.

Miss Edna Christenson of Minneapolis, Minn., who is a guest of Miss Margrethe Bauman, was given a luncheon by Mrs. Esbern Hanson, at her summer home at Lake Margrethe, Thursday last week. Covers were laid for thirty ladies. In the afternoon bridge was played; Miss Christenson winning the highest and guest prize and Mrs. C. A. Canfield second prize.

Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and little daughter Phyllis Jeanne and cousin Miss Laura Gierke, who have been spending the summer visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke returned to their home in Monroe Monday. Mr. Rasmussen and Walter Miller motored up from Monroe to accompany them home. Miss Elda Mae Gierke accompanied them and will attend school in Monroe this year, making her home with her sister Mrs. Rasmussen.

Miss Anna Nelson, who has been the efficient stenographer for Salling Hanson Co. for about ten years, has resigned and left the latter part of the week for Grand Rapids to accept a position with the Jackson and Tindie Lumber Co. Miss Nelson's sister Miss Olga Nelson, a graduate of last year's class of the Grayling High School is filling her place in the Salling Hanson Co. office.

Wm. Kile of Beaver Creek township was 76 years old Thursday of last week and that evening some of his friends ran in on him just to help celebrate the event. There were about sixty in number and they spent the evening at the Kile home where they enjoyed music and cards, as well as a bounteous pot-luck lunch. Among all the happy crowd there were none who enjoyed the affair any more than did Mr. Kile.

As Henry Bauman and a party of friends were driving along the North Branch river near Dan Four Wednesday they discovered the caretaker's house at that place on fire. There was nobody at home so Mr. Bauman and his party turned in and put the fire out after a vigorous effort. Mr. Bauman says it was a hard fight but they succeeded in saving some of the building and the contents. The place is occupied by Mrs. Robert Papenfus and children.

APPRECIATION.
I wish to thank those, who were so kind to me at the time of the Hanson fire, in removing my belongings from the burning building and in other ways.
Beulah M. Ewing.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and help during the sickness and death of our loving husband, son and brother, also for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Minnie Penn and Children, John W. Penn, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Penn, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Penn, Mr. and Mrs. John Penn, Barney and Hiram Penn.

Important News Events of the World Summarized

Washington

Returning from a European trip, Representative Aswell of Louisiana told President Coolidge at Washington that he expected Germany to pass through a revolution and to have a king at its head within a year.

C. Bascom Sloop, secretary to President Coolidge at Washington, says the administration will back some form of world court.

Mrs. Harding is to make her home in Washington, was the belief after Brigadier General Sawyer was reappointed White House physician.

On invitation of President Coolidge at Washington, Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania initiated a new move to settle the threatened anthracite strike.

The Department of Agriculture at Washington announced that in the last fiscal year, ending June 30, 48,000,000 hogs were slaughtered, this being 4,201,630 more than the previous high record.

Revision of income taxes downward on all incomes, high and low, will be recommended to congress at Washington by Representative Madden (Rep., Illinois), who is convinced that immediate reduction is feasible.

The President and Postmaster General New, at Washington, selected Edgar M. Blessing for solicitor of the Post Office department. Mr. Blessing is a member of the Indiana public service commission.

First Assistant Postmaster General John H. Bartlett of Concord, N. H., declared himself a candidate for delegate to the Republican national convention next year and pledges his vote to President Coolidge.

Treasury officials at Washington indicated that the department will favor adoption of an omnibus public buildings program by congress. It is estimated that big savings would result in rents now paid.

A downward tax revision at the next session of congress is unlikely, though Secretary Mellon at Washington will renew his recommendation for a paring down of surtaxes.

Domestic

Six persons were killed and a seventh probably fatally injured when their automobile was struck at Gray's crossing near Birmingham, N. Y., by an Erie railroad train. The accident occurred in a dense fog.

One Klansman was killed, many hurt, in a Pittsburgh suburb in a riot that followed a parade.

U. S. mail planes completed the coast-to-coast tests, crossing the country eight times in five days.

Mark Arle of Champaign, Ill., won the Grand American handicap shoot at Chicago after eighteen years' effort, scoring 96 targets from 23 yards.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Martin, both seventy, were killed by a Burlington passenger train when they attempted to cross the tracks at Whitehall, Ill., in an automobile.

An insanity warrant was sworn out at Oakland, Cal., against James Lord, prominent eastern labor leader and former head of the mining department of the American Federation of Labor, by his wife, Mrs. Mary J. Lord.

Two unmasked robbers held up and robbed the State bank of Troy, Ind., near Tell City, and escaped with between \$4,000 and \$5,000.

Although the chamber of commerce at Cleveland, O., has announced that it will not seek the 1924 Republican national convention for Cleveland, a Tippecanoe club committee will consider the subject.

The wreck of the P. & O. liner Egypt, which sank on May 21, 1922, after colliding with the French steamer ship Seine off Ushant, has been found by salvage experts. Underwriters at London will try to recover the ship's cargo of gold ingots worth nearly \$50,000,000.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars have selected Kansas City, Kan., as national headquarters.

A northbound passenger train on the Pontiac, Oxford & Northern branch of the Grand Trunk Railroad went over an embankment into a ditch north of Flint, Mich. Twelve persons were hurt, five seriously.

Ellhu Roof accepted appointment as the first member on the jury which will choose the winning \$100,000 plan in the award which Edward Bok has offered at New York for a practicable peace plan.

The Cleveland (O.) Railway company announced that because of automobile competition and increased wages, street car fares will be raised September 1 from eleven tickets for 50 cents to five for 25 cents.

Carrying 2,500 men and some artillery, the first transport to carry British troops leaving Turkey sailed from Constantinople for Egypt. Most of the allied troops are expected to leave Constantinople and the Dardanelles within three weeks.

Col. Jay J. Morrow, governor general of the Canal Zone, arrived at New York on the Santa Ana. He said that the Panama canal has paid for itself many times over.

Speaker Gillett of the house of representatives announced at Springfield, Mass., that he would sail to Europe for a trip of six or eight weeks. He said he would make a special study of conditions in Germany.

Because of difficulty in establishing fuel stations en route and supplying them with stocks of gasoline, projectors at Detroit, Mich., of the proposed aerial hunting expedition to the Arctic circle postponed it a year.

The westbound Baltimore & Ohio flyer was derailed when the train ran into a washout caused by a storm near Suman station, fourteen miles east of Gary, Ind. Engineer J. Novenger was killed.

The steamer George W. Clyde of Chicago, loaded with paper for a newspaper, hit an obstruction in Georgian bay and went to the bottom, near Little Current, Ont., with the loss of the entire cargo.

Carrying 14,250 tons of freight, the biggest tow in the history of the government barge line on the Mississippi river, is on its way from St. Louis, Mo., to New Orleans. Previously, the largest amount carried was 13,000 tons.

Experts of the United States public health service arrived at Richmond, Va., to investigate "devil's grip," a disease from which more than 1,000 Virginians are suffering.

Personal

Mr. Ernst Windhorst, nephew of Dr. Ludwig Windhorst, famous deputy under Bismarck of Germany and for more than fifty years a member of the Cincinnati diocese, died at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Kate Douglas Wiggin, American author, died at Harrow, England. Her first work was published in 1878 and her work was popular for decades. She became ill on her voyage to England last June.

Clinton L. Preston, seventy-six, millionaire coal operator, died at his home at Athens, O., after an illness of more than three years.

Labor

Restoration of the wage scale of 1920 will be demanded by the New England conference board of the United Textile Workers of America. The board at Pawtucket, R. I., decided to fight any attempt to reduce wages.

Foreign

M. Daskaloff, the Bulgarian ambassador, was shot and died a short time later on the operating table at Prague.

Baron Tomosaburo Kato, premier of Japan, is dead. It was officially announced at Tokyo.

The general strike engineered by Greek radicals has failed, and the strikers are returning to work. The government at Athens declares that severe measures will be taken with the labor union leaders.

Archpriest Don Minzoni, one of the most decorated heroes in Italy for war services, was attacked with clubs at Ferrara, Italy, by unknown persons, receiving injuries which resulted fatally.

A mob of strikers attacked the city hall at Bilbao, Spain, but was driven off by the civil guard after one of the strikers had been killed and six wounded. There were other disturbances in various sections of Bilbao.

The municipality has suspended operation of the entire street car system at Berlin as a result of enormous running expenses. Employees will be notified that every effort toward resumption will be made.

Failure of coal miners to come to a wage agreement in the Ruhr district caused owners to close seven of the largest mines and several state mines there, according to Dusseldorf newspapers.

"The experiment of prohibition in Finland is a downright failure," the Anti-Alcohol congress at Copenhagen was told by M. Schauman, member of the Finnish parliament.

The gold basis rate for the payment of workers throughout Germany was decided upon at Berlin.

Viscount Yasuya Uchida, minister of foreign affairs at Tokyo, has been appointed premier ad interim, and will serve until a new cabinet is formed. He replaces Baron Kato, who died there.

Mohammedans in Spanish Morocco issued an appeal for a holy war, which was quickly followed by a series of sharp battles.

Following six weeks of rain and hail storms, a heavy snow had ruined the crops in the mountain districts of Daghistan in the Caucasus and the population of nearly a million in the district is threatened with famine, says a Moscow dispatch.

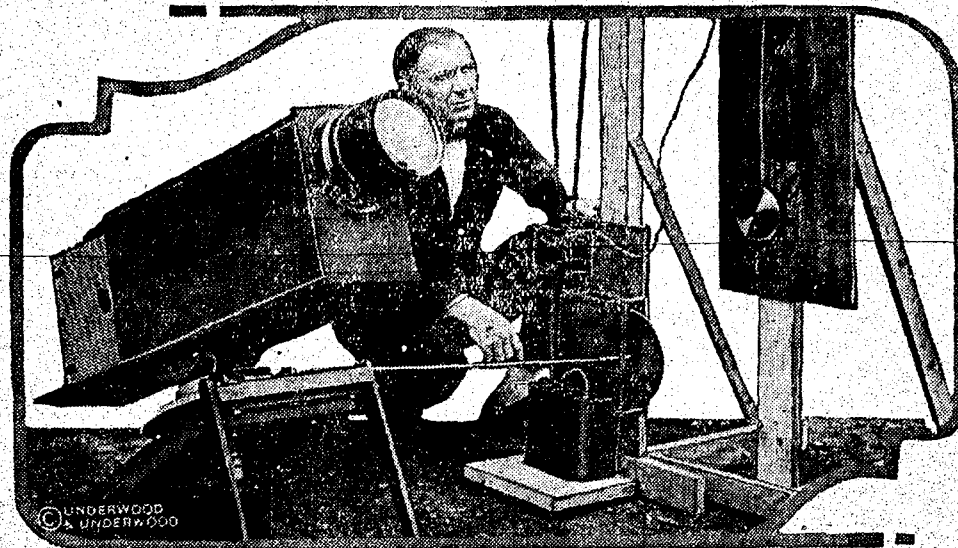
The \$1,000,000 Mormon temple was dedicated at Cardston, Alberta.

A train running from Vienna to Warsaw left the tracks near Lida and crashed into a dam. More than fifty persons were killed and about one hundred were hurt. The train carried many emigrants bound for America.

The cabinet at Warsaw approved a project for a \$100,000,000 loan from the Morgan-Harjes bank of Paris.

Because of threatened demonstrations by the Communists, a state of siege was declared in Stuttgart.

Movie Patrons to See the Solar Eclipse



Science expects to make it possible for one to see the total solar eclipse of September 10 in the movies in three minutes instead of spending two hours and fifty-five minutes watching it, by the use of equipment which is being shipped from the Yerkes observatory of the University of Chicago to Santa Catalina Island, Cal. Capt. Barnett Harris of Chicago, under the direction of Dr. Edwin B. Frost, will photograph the eclipse with four cameras in batteries of two, which will be placed fifteen miles apart so as to minimize cloud interference. Two of the cameras will work automatically during the eclipse, and when the job is completed it will be shown throughout the United States. The signal corps and air service of the War department are co-operating with special lenses and apparatus. The automatic cameras are driven by electro-magnets, and the work of this expedition will be observed with a great deal of interest by the public and scientific world. The photograph shows Captain Harris and some of the equipment to be used.

"LET ME STAY," SAID CAL



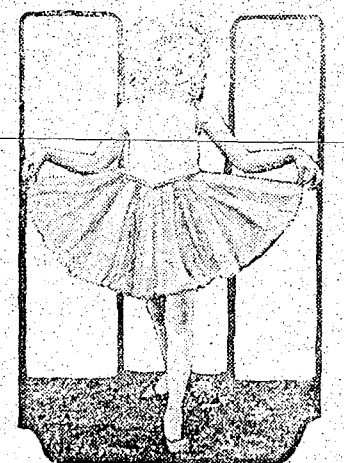
"I like the job. I want to stick to it. Please let me stay," was the closing phrase in the letter young Cal Coolidge wrote to his mother just after having learned that his father had been elevated to the presidency. Here's Cal on the job—working in a tobacco field at Hatfield, Mass., for \$3 a day.

GRANDSON OF A KING



Princess Mary, youngest daughter of King George, from a portrait just received in this country.

MR. COOGAN'S FAVORITE



Here's a much envied girl. She is Little Penches Jackson, and Jackie Coogan—you know him—has shown a preference for her. Penches is his constant companion, the youngsters playing together at every opportunity.

A Serious Case

Mr. Tarr-Ductab, was a dabbler in bird breeding. What zeas do he 'peach to be 'bicted wild, in so 'umble 'pliment?

This Caddie Was Posted

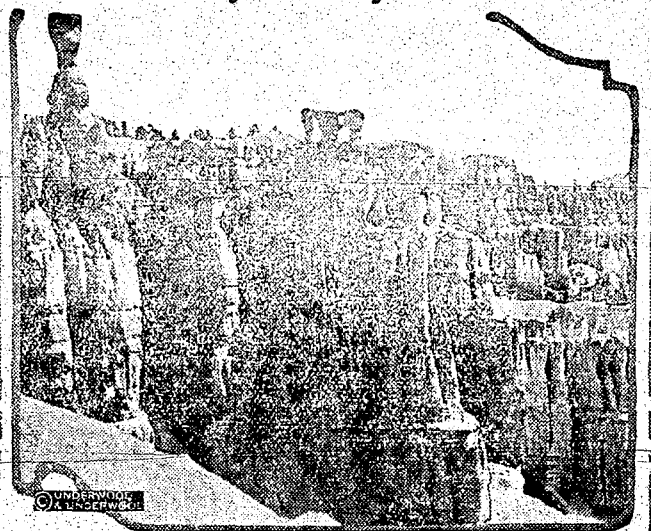
Mr. Sodavrecker—Is Prown a good player? Caddie—Naw, he can't play at all. "Well—I'll bent him." "I'll bet you won't."—Life.

Parade of Athletes in Paris



Photograph of thousands of young French athletes marching through the Arc de Triomphe under which is buried France's Unknown Soldier. These young men are preparing for the future athletic meets in which they will strive to represent France.

Scene in Bryce Canyon Monument



The newest national monument was established by the late President Harding in a proclamation which set aside twelve square miles in southern Utah as the Bryce Canyon National monument, within the Powell National forest. This canyon is declared by the United States forest service to be one of the most unique and beautiful geological features in the United States. Photograph shows a remarkable view there.

President Coolidge at His Desk



The first picture of a man in a tuxedo sitting at the desk used only a short time ago by President Harding.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Ancestors could most where every body's got 'em. If a man is incompetent, it is usually because he doesn't like his work.

People don't forget that they have lent money any more readily than they have borrowed it.

There is said to be a high death rate among physicians in Russia due to lack of food, overwork and exposure.

Michigan Happenings

Two hundred fifteen new Michigan laws will soon go into effect. They are laws enacted at the regular session of the Legislature, 188 were given immediate effect. The 222 acts make a bound volume of 565 pages. Only a small percentage of these 222 acts are, however, entirely new matters. Of the last compilation of the general laws, made in 1915, the 1923 acts amend 752 different sections, and nearly as many sections of the laws passed at the sessions of 1917, 1919 and 1921. Seven of the new laws repeal old laws.

More than \$1,000,000 has been paid the secretary of state by 3,111 Michigan corporations, willing to follow the state rulings that corporation taxes for this year must be paid under the old law. The remittances are coming much faster than had been expected, in view of the protests filed by the Michigan Manufacturers' association. Secretary of State Charles Deland said. The corporations have been endeavoring to force the state to accept payment under the new corporation tax law, which would permit much smaller payments.

Charles B. Warren, former ambassador to Japan, and just returned from Mexico, where he served as high commissioner for the United States, arrived in Detroit, and forthwith silenced all rumors that he might become minister to Mexico with this statement: "I regard my mission as completed. Therefore, under no consideration would I accept appointment as ambassador to Mexico, and I have so informed President Coolidge and Secretary of State Hughes." Mr. Warren spent three months in Mexico City.

Gov. Groesbeck announced the following four appointments to the Wayne Circuit court bench: Judge Arthur Webster, Dewitt H. Merriam, Guy A. Miller, Ernest P. Lajole. The appointments will take office immediately and will sit until November, 1924. They are appointed under an act passed by the 1923 legislature adding four judges to the Wayne bench. Great pressure was brought to bear on the Governor in behalf of various candidates. In all, 23 candidates were mentioned for the positions.

A. J. Hunter, of Muskegon, has been in a serious condition as a result of a bite from a strange dog, which has caused suffering to several other people at the fashionable Lake Harbor resort. It was necessary to operate on Mr. Hunter's arm. A reward has been offered by Lake Harbor summer residents for information throwing some light on the nature of the insect. Some have expressed the belief that it is a mosquito from the tropical countries, which at rare intervals is found in this section.

Edmond E. Moss, of Port Huron, D. U. R. Conductor, is dead as the result of a Rapid Railway wreck just north of Marine City. A special north-bound car, running without passengers was waiting at a switch for orders when another north-bound limited crashed into it from the rear. Conductor Moss received a shower of broken glass on the neck and face. Several arteries in his throat were severed and he bled to death within a few seconds.

Without food for six days, a former soldier in the German army was found unconscious on the sidewalk at Battle Creek. He was taken to police headquarters where he was revived and given nourishment. Through an interpreter he told his experiences. He was robbed in Detroit and had been in the United States only two months. Later he accepted a job in a junk yard.

James E. Cook, a farmer living near Owosso, tells of a homing pigeon that is insisting on making its home in his house. The bird flew into an open window. After it had been fed for three days it was set free, but it again returned to the farm house. A band around its leg reads: "93-7850-Central Detroit."

The largest deal in the history of Grand Rapids will be completed when the Michigan State Telephone company will give its check for \$3,351,755 in favor of the Citizens Telephone company, in payment for the properties of the latter concern, which are to be merged with the Bell company's holdings.

Declaring that the operation of interurban freight trains through the business district of Battle Creek has become a nuisance, Mayor Charles C. Green instructed City Attorney John Wegener to investigate action necessary to eliminate freight trains in city streets during rush hours of the day.

Of 231 applicants for automobile licenses, only 55 or 36 per cent passed the second day of the new revised police examinations at Detroit.

The state administrative board at Lansing ordered a reduction of the state tax of \$1,300,000. The tax this year will be \$16,000,000, as compared with \$17,500,000 in 1922. The rate will be approximately \$2.32 a \$1,000, as compared with \$3.08 last year.

Huntley Russell, of Grand Rapids, has been appointed chairman of the Michigan Tidewater Commission. The commission was created by the Legislature several years ago to promote the Great Lakes to the Atlantic waterway project.

A "fleet" of automobiles, containing false gasoline tanks, will tour the state, making test purchases of gasoline. The effectiveness of this contrivance was illustrated in the arrest of a dealer in Detroit. A customer becoming suspicious of the amount of gas he was receiving, installed a false tank in his machine. "Five" gallons of gasoline purchased turned out to be four. The dealer was given thirty days in jail and fined \$100. "The slightest shortage will result in prosecution," Commissioner of Agriculture declared at Lansing.

Complete denial that they have instituted an organized boycott of grocers and others who sell butter substitutes was entered in Federal Court at Grand Rapids by members and officers of the Allegan Milk Producers Association. The 700 farmers who are members of the association asked that the restraint-of-trade suit brought against the association by Best Foods, Inc., manufacturers of nutras, be dismissed and the petition for an injunction denied. Judge Clarence W. Sessions denied the motion for withdrawal.

The cold weather has brought an end to extensive moonshine operations in Muskegon and other Western Michigan counties, according to Charles Walker, special liquor law enforcement officer at Muskegon. "The biggest stills have been located in the woods and swamps in Western Michigan during the summer," explained Mr. Walker. "The moonshiner is too wise now to operate inside. It requires warm weather for mash to work, and the first cool night ends operations."

Officials of the Greater Sheridan Road association at Iron Mountain announced that the road they represent will become the longest street in the world. This is to be effected by changing the names of all streets which form a part of the road in towns and villages through which it passes. Starting at St. Louis, the road extends almost due north along route 16 in the upper peninsula, to Fort Wilkins. The original Sheridan road is in Chicago.

That northern Michigan—Emmett, Charlevoix, Osego, Cheboygan counties—soon will become the chief source of supply of seed potatoes for Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and some other states, was the prediction made at Petoskey following the visit of the second annual Michigan potato tour. Interest in potato growing is increasing in northern Michigan, where scientific methods are being studied in an effort to produce more and better potatoes to the acre.

The stand the American Legion should take on the Eighteenth Amendment, the Volstead Act, and state administration policies were the topics of discussion among delegates to the state convention which opened at Ironwood. There is a diversified opinion regarding just what should be the stand on all alcoholic beverages.

Mrs. Mary C. Spencer, state librarian of Michigan and dean of state librarians of the United States, died at her home at Lansing. She was in her eighty-first year.

A total of 624 bill and dog fish were taken from Long lake in the campaign conducted by the state conservation department to rid the lake of obnoxious fish.

Contracts were awarded at Ionia for the construction of 11 1/4 miles of road in Ionia and Montcalm counties, for what is known as the Colgrove state highway.

Colonel T. J. Powers, of Detroit, chief of staff of the 85th division, has been transferred to Washington, where he becomes assistant director of the budget.

Dr. E. R. Alexander, of Kansas City, won the Northern Michigan Golf Championship at Traverse City. A field of 48 players was entered in the contest.

"Concrete paving for the Mackinaw Trail" from the State line to the Straits" is the slogan of the Trail Association at Cadillac.

Lightning came down the chimney on a home at Fruitport, separated the pipe and then set fire to a broom.

Sugar beet yields of from eight to nine tons an acre are expected by sugar company officials at Saginaw.

Soe-police are seeking a bold bandit who stole the police patrol from in front of the police station.

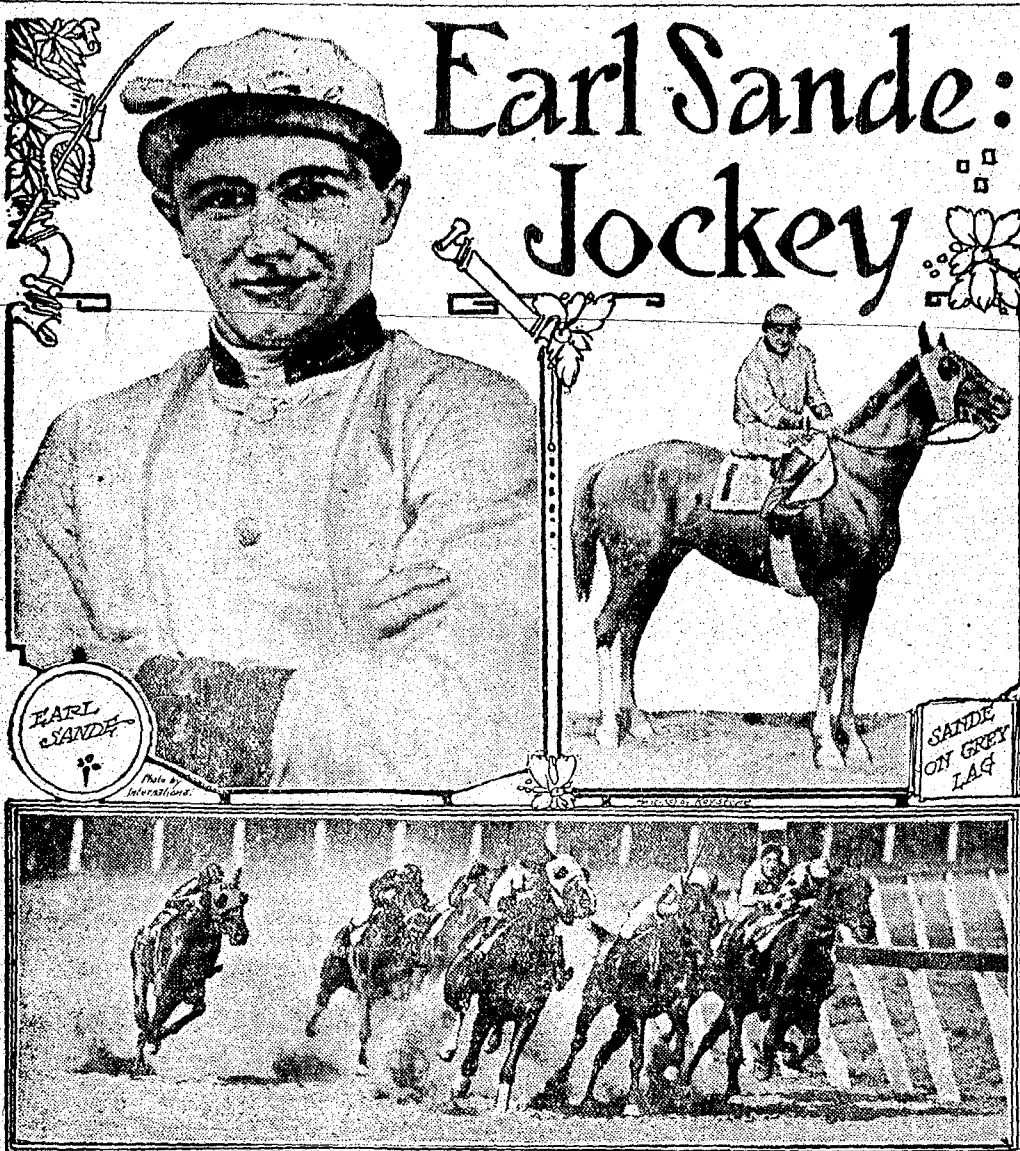
Dedication exercises for the new Masonic temple were held at Holland.

Appointment of Dean R. S. Shaw as head of the Michigan Agricultural college during the next year, was announced by the state board of agriculture.

Pilot Jack Knight was at the bedside of his sick father at Buchanan, after a 1,000-mile race with death half way across the continent. Knight's flight set a long distance record for night flying. He came from Cheyenne, Wyo., in 10 hours and 15 minutes.

Changes costing about \$16,000 are being made in the west side schools at Saginaw to remove fire dangers pointed out by inspectors of the Michigan Fire Prevention association in a recent inspection.

Thousands of dollars is being spent by the Pennsylvania Railroad company near Elmira to prevent another long transportation tie-up, such as was caused last winter by snow blockades, gangs of men, with plows, scrapers and teams are leveling almost a mile.



Earl Sande: Jockey

Best American Race Rider Ran Away from Home to Win Fame and Fortune

NE day in the spring of 1917 a man in a covered wagon drove by a country schoolhouse near Arizona. The wagon was pulled by two horses. The driver stopped and called to a seventeen-year-old boy through the window. The boy came out. The man said the left horse were thoroughbreds and that he was going to Arizona to race them.

"Want to come along and ride 'em?" asked the man.

"Yes," answered the boy, who went back into the schoolhouse after his cap, climbed into the wagon and rode off.

Earl Sande was that boy, and Earl Sande is now hailed both by horsemen and the racing public as the best of all the present-day jockeys of the American turf. Certainly, so far as the American racing public is concerned, his name is one to conjure with. Probably it is no exaggeration to say that he is the most popular of all the little fellows who raise the thousands of spectators to frenzied excitement as they bring the winners home in the thrilling struggle to own the stretch to the wire.

The figures of racing statistics substantiate the popular idea of the worth of Sande's horsemanship. In 1922 Sande finished in sixth place in respect to the number of races won. This means a lot for Sande, who has won during the summer months. The five jockeys who surpassed him in the number of winning mounts rode the whole year through, jockeys of the caliber of the so-called winner tracks. His percentage of winning mounts is what tells the main story. The six leaders for 1922 in the order of number of winning mounts, with their percentages were as follows:

C. Lang, 20; M. Fator, 21; J. Huntamer, 21; E. Sande, 32. It will be noted that the percentages of the five leaders is practically the same and that there is a wide gap between theirs and Sande's. In other words, the five leading jockeys won on about one mount in five, while Sande won on about one in three.

This year Sande again leads by a wide margin in the percentage column. At this writing the figures for the seven jockeys who lead in the number of winning mounts are as follows:

Jockey Mts. per cent. J. Huntamer, 20, 32; C. Lang, 20, 20; M. Fator, 21, 21; E. Sande, 32, 32. It will be noted that the percentages of the five leaders is practically the same and that there is a wide gap between theirs and Sande's. In other words, the five leading jockeys won on about one mount in five, while Sande won on about one in three.

Sande rode at Arizona fairs all that first summer. Then he went home for

a bit. In January of 1918 he went to New Orleans, with a letter to a horseman, Joe Goodman, who gave him a job working horses. His first mount was Liberator, a 20-to-1 shot. Sande finished second. A few days later he won his first race on Prince S. and he beat Albert Johnson and L. Lyke, both leading jockeys.

Sande did well at New Orleans. One day he rode two winners, Mary's Beau and F. C. Cole—both at 50 to 1. At Hot Springs he had a bad fall on a fifteen-to-one, which was seized with blind staggers, and a crushed foot laid him up quite a while. By way of Kentucky spring meetings he arrived at Saratoga. There Trainer H. G. Redwell bought him and he rode for Commander J. K. L. Ross, the successful Canadian owner. One day at Haydock de Grace in the fall of 1919 Sande rode six winners out of seven mounts, three of them his employer's horses. In the fall of 1920 he went to the Ranocas stable, owned by H. F. Sinclair, the oil man, and trained by Samuel C. Hildreth.

This stable led the list of winning owners in 1922, with 63 firsts, 44 seconds, 40 thirds and \$229,255.

Sande has nothing of the spectacular or theatrical about him, contrasting sharply in this respect with such old-time popular jockeys as Tod Sloan and Snapper Garrison. He is a serious, hard-working young fellow—and looks the part. He's blond and his face is distinctly Scandinavian—he was born of Norwegian parents. He is slender and slightly under medium height—tall for a jockey. He has broad, square shoulders and large hands with short, strong fingers. There is nothing about him to attract attention in a crowd of young men of his age.

Sande can ride this year at 112 pounds. And at that he has his troubles to avoid taking on weight. He's bigger of frame than most jockeys, and riding at 112 pounds means careful dieting and strenuous road work. During the racing season he takes coffee and fruit for breakfast. Six days a week he has a cup of beef broth for lunch. He dines on meat and vegetables.

Past question all experience is valuable. Anyway, Sande was born and brought up in a horse country and learned to ride at the age when most city children are trundling around the sidewalks on three-wheeled bicycles. Soon thereafter he was riding bucking bronchos and racing ponies. In short, he was pretty much brought up in the saddle. So he got to know horses and their ways, and he learned a lot about horse racing in Arizona—another horse country. Probably, this early experience in part accounts for the fact that horses run well for him and that his admirers call him "a born race rider."

But in addition to perfect balance and the ability to "go with his mount," Sande has brains and uses them in a race. He's alert at the barrier. He's a good judge of pace. He watches the

ing down the stream in the spring the "rudder boom" is thrown out to prevent the logs from rushing down the river.

Magic Word. A Whittier mother was teaching her little son to say Amen at the end of his prayers, and the child suddenly asked: "Mother, what does Amen mean?" "Amen means the end, my dear," the mother explained. A few days later the little one was disobedient and the mother gave him a severe

lecture. She felt he ought to have a whipping and talked on and on, to whipe herself for the order of admittance the spanking. Imagine her surprise when suddenly the child began crying "Amen, mother, Amen."

Secrets of the Earth's Crust. A very delicate piece of apparatus which can be used for divining the presence of metals under the ground has been invented. A mass of heavy ore, even if buried, affects the pull of gravity on the instrument.

City of Byzantium. The city is also known as Byzantium, which is the old name. Constantinople was founded, according to tradition, by a band of settlers from Megara under the leadership of Byzas from him. It was nearly a thousand years before the Roman emperor Constantine rebuilt the city, called it by his own name and made it the capital of the empire. It was also called "Roma Nova" or "New Rome" on account of this latter fact.

GLYCERIN CEMENT. A powerful cement can be made by mixing glycerin and litharge. A half liter of concentrated glycerin, which does not, however, have to be chemically pure, is mixed with five kilograms of well-dried and finely levigated litharge. One liter is approximately 2.205 pounds. The mixture solidifies into a solid mass within twenty to thirty minutes. The cement

Gold cannot rust.

Knitted Togs for Kiddies;

School Hats Are Jaunty

SINCE "comfort first" is baby's plea, small wonder is it that the softest and dearest of knitted garments occupy the place of honor in childhood's realm. It is generally conceded that for baby's tender skin there is nothing so "comfy" as knitted wool, lacking, as it does, the irritating qualities of the harder woven fabrics. Then, too, with knitted art responding so generously to childhood's needs, one readily appreciates why doting moth-

ers, others with storm collar which can be worn down or up. Both ribbed and brushed effects continue in favor, while plain coats with brushed trimmings are greatly featured. Combining utility with good looks, the new styles in school hats have made their appearance—and it should be a simple matter, considering their variety, to choose a smart and becoming model for every little miss who must return to the classroom with the



Knitted Things for Children.

ers acquired the habit of planning their little one's outfits along the lines of the myriads of pretty things created from supple yarns and zephyrs.

For babies' wear, white naturally holds sway with pink or blue trimmings. An attractive yoke distinguishes from the ordinary, the little crocheted sacque here pictured and the fact that it is a dainty pastel shade with lower ripple flare in pure white, adds to its loveliness. Contrary to expectation this adorable little garment fastens in the back with two pearl buttons, while a little pink (or blue if occasion demands) bow adorns the front. The cap is crocheted in rattrakhan stitch and, in the language of baby fashion lore, this looklike

beginning of September. School hats, of course, should be severely plain and the hats shown in this group demonstrate that they may be designed with this idea in mind and still have a jaunty charm that is all their own.

For the high school girl the hat shown at the top is made of braided ribbon with a ribbon trimming in the form of rosette and cascade at the right side. Below at the left is shown a little model of picot-edged ribbon sewed row on row and trimmed with a flat rosette of the same ribbon in a lighter tone.

The two hats shown at the right and below reflect the popularity of knitted goods in Junior outfits. These are of knitted brushed wool in contrasting



Practical School Hats.

stitch is particularly the mode this season.

Proof against wind and weather are the cunning knitted suits which shield little five-year-olds, perhaps older, perhaps younger, from head to foot, just as this picture sets forth. The lovable little "Snow Sprites" of our illustration is clad in a particularly handsome white wool knitted infant's set.

The legnettes have a slip-cord at the waist, with tassels. The sweater coat boasts belt and collar and, pride of prizes, two patch pockets. There are plenteous pearl buttons, two of them finding their way to the cap, posed one on each side flap.

One may take choice of double-breasted and single-breasted coats in these sets, some with turn-down collar.

Plastered Walls Are Solved. White plastered walls are almost impossible to clean, as they seem to absorb any smoke or dust. If you decide to paint the walls, apply paint direct, and give three coats. If you prefer, give a coat of glue size first, made by dissolving a quarter pound of glue in one gallon of water. Well finished walls are a great satisfaction.

—Housewife.

A Season of Navy Blue. Dark blue is the leading color for

colors and provide the ideal headwear for use with the sweater and skirt combinations that are at present so popular, or they may be had in hat and scarf sets to be worn with school frocks or suits. The hat shown below combines the knitted crown with a brim of angora.

Materials used in making hats for very little girls include camel hair fabric, beaverette, broadcloth and fine chinchilla. It is quite the latest word to have the hat match the coat in material, color and trimming.

Julia Bottomley
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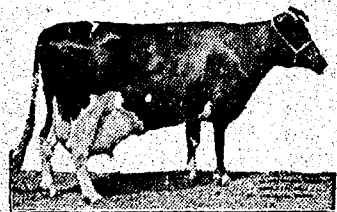
street and morning wear. There is no dissension about this, all the couturiers being agreed, even Paul Poiret, whose creations differ so strikingly from all others. The light Havana Gray and beige are very good for the tailcoats and dresses designed to be worn in the summer. These are the leading colors, black having very little place in this class of garment. Dark blue in combination with widely varying detail differs according to the house which shows it.

DAIRY FACTS

New World's Record for Butterfat Production

A new world's record for production of butterfat in one year over all breeds has been established by a Holstein cow owned by Raymondale farm at Vaudreuil, Quebec. DeKoi Plus Segis-Dixie, freshening at the age of nine years and three months, and weighing 1,650 pounds, produced 83,464.7 pounds of milk containing 1,349.35 pounds of butterfat in 365 consecutive days. This amount of butterfat is equal to 1,886.60 pounds of butter. This production surpasses the former world record held by another Canadian Holstein cow by 5 pounds of butter.

Because of her previous high records of production, "Dixie" was placed on strictly official test, supervised by



DeKoi Plus Segis-Dixie.

both the Holstein-Friesian Association of America and the Dominion department of agriculture of Canada, which supervises record of performance tests for all breeds of dairy cattle in Canada.

The new champion was fed a grain ration consisting of equal parts of bran, hominy, dried distillers' grains, gluten meal, oil cake and cracked oats. To 100 pounds of this mixture was added one pound of salt, one pound of charcoal and one-fourth-pound of bone-meal. She was fed at the rate of one pound of grain mixture to each four pounds of milk produced. Her roughage consisted mainly of mixed hay and some corn silage and beets. All of last summer she was let out to pasture two hours a day.

A four-year-old son of the new champion recently sold at public auction for \$4,100 at the National Holstein sale.

Production of Fat Is Affected by Age of Cow

Fat production by the average dairy cow increases till she has passed her seventh year, reaches its peak before the end of her eighth year and then gradually declines. This fundamental truth in farming science was discovered recently by C. W. Turner, a teacher in the dairy department of the Missouri College of Agriculture.

This conclusion was reached only after Turner had worked out the relation between the age and the yearly fat production of more than 46,000 dairy cows. The data included all the yearly fat records available of pure bred dairy cows in the United States. This is the first time an intensive compilation of this sort has been carried out.

The value of this information lies in knowing what production may be expected of a cow at a certain age. For example, if a farmer knows the present production of a two-year-old cow and wishes to estimate what she will be worth to him in five years, he will have an authoritative table which he may consult.

A yearling produces 618 per cent compared to a cow at maturity; a two-year-old, 73.6 per cent; a three-year-old, 84 per cent; a four-year-old, 90 per cent; a five-year-old, 95 per cent, and a six-year-old, 99 per cent. After seven years the decline in production is gradual.

Of the total number of records examined, 13,723 were Jersey cows; 13,590 Guernseys; 12,504 Holsteins; 5,162 Ayrshires, and 1,014 Milking Shorthorns.

Increase of Butterfat Is Not Made by Feeding

According to experimental work that has been done, the percentage of fat in milk cannot be increased by feeding. The milk of each individual cow seems to have a fixed composition that is natural to her. True, the richness of the milk may be increased or decreased for a short time if the cow's digestive system is disturbed by sickness or improper feeding, but will return to the normal test in a short time. The quantity of milk may easily vary with feeding, consequently the total pounds of butterfat would be increased without a variation in the test. By having a cow in high flesh at the time of freshening, the test may be raised for a time, the supposition being that the body fat is drawn upon, but it only lasts for a short time, when the test returns to the point peculiar to the individual.

Pointers for Selection of Improved Dairy Cow

One or two signs tell a good cow. In a poor cow the thigh runs down straight, so there is no place between the thigh and the udder on one side and the tail on the other. There should be plenty of daylight between the udder and the tail. One of the best ways to tell what kind of a cow you have is by her temperament. A good dairy type has a sharp spine, and sharp hip bones. A good cow has a large wedge-shaped stomach.

Ancestors Count Most.

Some breeds of cattle naturally give higher testing milk than others, but the high percentage of butterfat, as well as the large flow of milk in any breed, depends, to a great extent, on the ancestors.

Silage Flavor in Milk.

There will be no cause for silage flavor in the milk, if the silage is fed after the milking is finished. It is the dust of such feeds as this fed before milking that causes the odor.

-the Big Butt Shingle

Winthrop Tapered Asphalt Shingles

THE thick butts double the wearing thickness with very little increase in total weight. They hold the shingles snug against the roof—mighty important when laid over old roofs.

Can't Rust, Rot Break Nor Split

Winthrops suffer none of the ills most roofs have. In addition they are fire-resisting and permanently beautiful—in three colors of crushed, slate surface.

Nearly every lumber yard sells Winthrops, but we will send you a sample shingle upon request.

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Flying Headstones.
Heading in Western Exchange—
"City Marshal in Word Battle Hurled Vile Epitaphs at Justice of Peace."

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COMFORT FOR BOY BATHERS

They Swim in Forbidden Waters and Then Dry Themselves in Hot Air Grating Blast.

Those who enjoy bathing at Bailey's beach, Rye beach, Manhattan beach, Coney Island and a dozen other places would possibly proclaim that their own favorite was superior to all others and dilate on its qualities and attractions. They would, however, be at a loss to produce evidence of a convenience such as is made use of by the 15 or 16 youngsters who enjoy a "dip" in Madison square.

These youngsters, all boys, take their bath fully attired—the possibility of the arrival of an unfriendly cop has to be at all times considered and the means of a hasty retreat provided—and so when they are finished their clothes hang in dripping folds around them, says the New York Sun and Globe.

This would be a decided discomfort but the Madison square bathers are well taken care of. They must immediately tracks for a large grating in the sidewalk at Broadway and Twenty-second street from which emerges a warm drying breeze untainted by cooking or other odors. Over this they stand and in a short while they are completely dried.

Made only of wheat and barley scientifically baked 20 hours—Supplies Vitamin-B and mineral elements.

How can Grape-Nuts be other than a wonderfully appetizing, healthful food?

"There's a Reason"

FARM BUREAU NOTES

R. D. BAILEY
County Agricultural AgentLIMESTONE
LEGUMES
LIVESTOCK

MEAN

PROFITS IN
FARMING

Seems Too Bad.

Yes, it seems too bad to think of the acres and acres in Crawford County, that will be sowed to poor, run-out rye, and lots of that later than it should be sowed. The result will be that the yield will be small. The farmers will not have half the rye that his rye acreage should yield him to grind into a balanced ration, with other grains, for his cows to keep them up to a big flow of milk. The farmer will not buy the grain, and he didn't raise it; so, he keeps fewer cows and gets less milk, all because he would not let an idea into his mind. For his delight in telling the neighbors how "no one is going to come around here and tell me how to run my farm" he fails to take advantage of these little plans to improve his farming and to have a larger income. Improvement must begin in the mind of the farmer and his wife.

Rosen Rye.

Now is the time to sow rye, and Rosen Rye is the rye to sow. All over the state farmers are saying so. Why be so blamed stiff-necked that you won't bend and change? It's no mark of lack of smartness on a farmer's part to drop an old habit or an old seed and to pick up a better one. It is a mark of stupidity in him

Who will not.

Give Rye a Chance.

There are too many farmers getting nasty little yields of nine, eleven, or twelve bushels of rye to the acre. George Annis got 28 bushels of Rosen Rye to the acre this year. Give rye a chance. Take a piece of ground, as good as you want for wheat. Put it in on time—now. Then, you will have something. Don't try to excuse yourself from doing it by saying: "Rye is so cheap. I guess I won't bother now." Don't raise the rye to sell. Raise it to grind with corn and oats as a cow feed. Put a little bran with it. Learn to be a good feeder, which few of us are. The bigger yield of straw will make more, couldn't it? The bigger yield of rye grain will make more feed at no increase in taxes.

Winter-Feed at Summer Prices.

The Michigan State Farm Bureau got the Dairy Department of our Agricultural College to prepare the recipe for a perfect grain ration for milking cows. This ration is sold under the name of Farm Bureau Milk-maker. It is the best ration I ever heard of. When dairymen of Michigan tried it, it proved so popular that eight thousand tons of it were sold last winter.

Last February, lots of foresighted men were feeding Milk-maker at August 1932 prices. They were sowing \$10 to \$12 and getting more milk. You can do it this winter.

You Pay For the Feed as You Get It.

The best time to buy winter's supply of feed is at late summer and early autumn prices; but, the problem of paying for all the feed at one time, and storing it, ties up too much money for any one man.

Here the State Farm Bureau serves you by the feed stuffs in huge volume, and at the right time, mixing them economically at the best milk in the country, and delivering milk-milk to you fresh every morning as you

want it. You pay for it as it comes.

Fathers Can Contract Now.

Farmers can contract now for their winter supply of milk-milk dairy feed. It would be a wise thing for progressive farmers to do so.

Feed Generously.

As any real feeder knows; a dairy cow can turn more feed into milk if this feed is of several kinds. Variety helps her appetite just as it helps the appetite of a human being. Milk is made out of feed. We are absolutely wrong when we try to get along with as little feed as possible. We should see how much we can get our cows to eat profitably, just as large saw mills see how many logs they can cut in a day, not how few they can get along with.

What's In It?

There are many ingredients in Milk-maker, each having a purpose. Here they are:

500 pounds Gluten Feed.
260 pounds, 43 per cent Cotton Seed Meal.
240 pounds, Old Process Oil Meal.
200 pounds, Corn Distillers' Grains.
200 pounds, Standard Wheat Bran.
160 pounds, Yellow Hominy.
100 pounds, Ground Oats.
100 pounds, Standard 3x Wheat Middlings.
100 pounds, Cane Molasses.
100 pounds, Peanut Meal.
20 pounds, Salt.
20 pounds, Calcium Carbonate lime.

2000 pounds of honest feed.

The time to act is now. Those who contract now get milk-maker in winter at summer prices; otherwise as winter approaches, the price rises!

Use your county agent. He does not deal in this or other feeds; but, can tell you how to get it.

Use your COUNTY AGENT.

Wonderful assortment of high top shoes for the whole family.

E. J. Olson.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS
FOR FARM HOUSELEADING LIGHTING PLANT AN-
NOUNCE NEW PLAN.

Announcement is just made by the Delco-Light Company, of Dayton, of a new plan for the distribution of their farm electric plants which it is declared will be of vast importance to all farmers and their families who have been longing for the benefits and conveniences of electricity in their homes.

This plan is called the Installed Price Plan. It names a single, low price which covers, not only the Delco-Light plant and battery desired, but also the cost of installing, the cost of wiring the house for ten lights in locations to be specified by the owner of the house; ten drop lights placed in position, complete even to the electric bulbs in their sockets, and a special power socket for connecting up the various electrical appliances which the housewife may want to use.

A financing plan also is explained which enables those who desire it, to buy their equipment on easy payments. The whole plan is designed it appears, to make it easy for the farm family to have electricity. Many thousands of farmers have purchased electric plants; it was shown since the Delco-Light Company began their manufacture less than eight years ago. This company alone has sold more than 200,000 of these during that time and this number will increase very rapidly during the coming months, in the belief of the manufacturers of Delco-Lights Products.

They base this belief, they declare upon the better understanding and appreciation of the electricity which have come to the farm family with the introduction of thousands and thousands of electric plants onto the farms. They believe, also, that the farmer, like any other citizen who has the ability to buy comforts for his family, will not hesitate to exchange a few of his dollars for the electrical conveniences which will mean so much in enjoyment and in saving labor in his home.

The Delco-Light Company, as the largest manufacturers of farm electric plants in the world, in making it possible for the farmer to have electricity so easily and at such moderate cost, have undoubtedly taken a step which will lead to much finer results, and will mean the spread of far greater blessings for mankind, than even they, themselves realize.

WOMAN HANDLES BIG
WORK AT STATE FAIR

MRS. C. S. C. EISENBREY

Women of Michigan will be interested to learn that one of the leading executives of the Michigan State Fair organization is a woman. Mrs. Eisenbrey, as assistant secretary and cashier of Michigan's \$5,000,000 exposition successfully effects an enormous amount of exacting work, a job that would prove too big for the average business man. Mrs. Eisenbrey bears not only the physical, but the business characteristics of her French ancestors, and the scores of men dealing with her laughingly admit that she is a better "business man" than they are.

Fine Arts Exhibit
Will Be Feature
of the State Fair

The fine arts will be represented at the \$5,000,000 Michigan State Fair at Detroit which opens this year on August 31 and closes September 9.

Collections from art institutes throughout the country will be exhibited and lectures will be given daily explaining the work of the many artists represented and the value of the exhibits.

It is expected that art lovers from all parts of the state will visit the State Fair in order to see this unusual and costly collection.

This Simple Mixture
Helps Weak Eyes

Grayling people are astonished at the QUICK results produced by simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. After being afflicted with weak, watery, red eyes for many years a lady reports the FIRST bottle Lavoptik helped her. One small bottle usually helps ANY CASE weak, strained or sore eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE. A. M. Lewis, druggist.

Fireworks to Show
Smyrna's Burning
At The State Fair

Another great fireworks feature has been obtained for the \$5,000,000 Michigan State Fair which will be held in Detroit from August 31 to September 9. Secretary-Manager George W. Dickinson has announced.

This monster pyrotechnic spectacle will be known as the "Burning of Smyrna", being a vivid re-enactment in multi-colored roaring flames of the great tragedy that not so long ago held the attention of the world.

This demonstration will be held in the race track inclosure the first three days of the fair. From then on the great spectacle "India" will be held daily until the end of the exposition.

"India" combines from history and legend a medley of entrancing scenes, mystic ceremonies and thrilling episodes of that great wonderland of the Orient.

Included in the spectacle, which occupies over 500 feet of scenic space will be seen the Durbar of Delhi, Indian Sutte, Pageant of State, religious ceremonial of Ramazan and the mutiny and destruction of Delhi.



MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the twenty third day of February, 1922, executed by William T. Murphy and Florence Murphy, his wife, to the undersigned, Marius Hanson, of Grayling, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber F of Mortgages on page 234 on the 13th day of August A. D. 1923; and

Whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of one hundred eighty seven and 85-100ths dollars of principal and interest and the further sum of fifteen dollars as an attorney fee provided for by statute which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage; and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become absolute.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, Michigan, on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; which said premises are described as follows, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in the Village of Grayling in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Lot Three of Block Five of Martha M. Brinks Second Addition to the Village of Grayling, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated August 23rd, 1923.

Marius Hanson,
Mortgagee.

Geo. L. Alexander,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business Address:
Grayling, Mich. 8-30-13.

A true copy.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

8-30-3.

MORTGAGE SALE,

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 20th day of August, 1912, executed by James L. Baer and Emily M. Baer, his wife, to the Roscommon State Bank, a corporation of Roscommon, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Roscommon county, Michigan, in Liber I of Mortgages on pages 59 & 60 on the 5th day of September, 1912; and,

Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of \$329.75 of principal and interest and the further sum of Fifteen dollars as an attorney fee provided for by statute and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage; and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become absolute.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the village of Grayling, Michigan, on the 19th day of October, 1923, at one o'clock in the afternoon; which said premises are described as follows, to wit:

The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section four, township twenty-five north, range four, west, Crawford County, Michigan.

Roscommon State Bank,
Mortgagee.

Dated, July 20th, 1923.

Hiram R. Smith,
Attorney for mortgagee.

Business Address:
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PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said County, on the 22nd day of August A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Effie E. Leighton, deceased.

Annette E. Stannard administratrix having filed in said court her petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is ordered, that 4 months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further ordered, that the thirty first day of December, 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

8-30-3.

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Roscommon State Bank,
Mortgagee.

Dated, July 20th, 1923.

Hiram R. Smith,
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GEORGE SORENSON

Judge of Probate.

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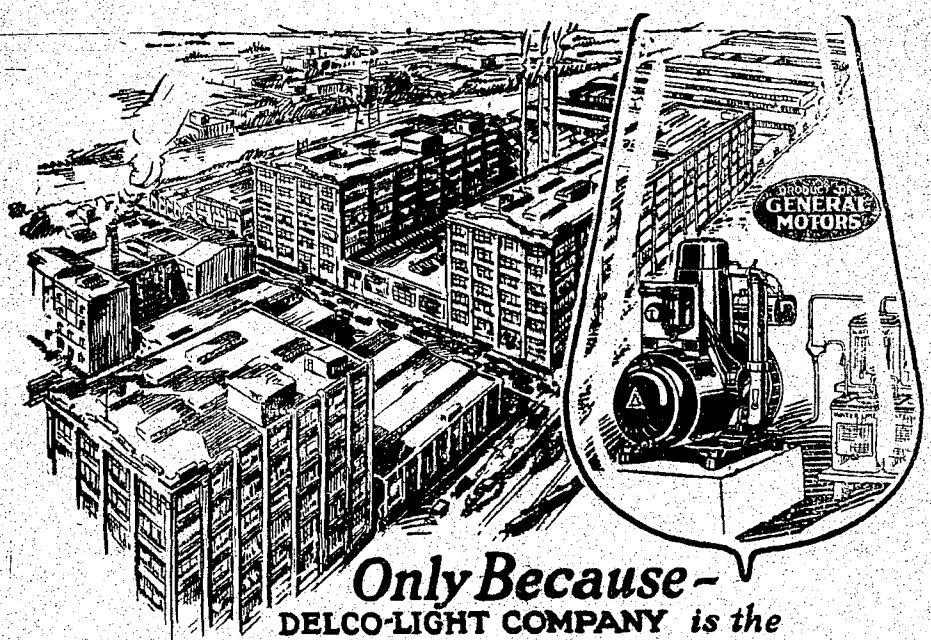
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